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FAIR MATTERS.

A meeting of Washoe county citizens has been called for Monday night next at the Academy of Music. The object of the meeting is to devise ways and means for making our State fair more attractive. In Sacramento the business men responded nobly to the call for aid to their local society. The managers are making arrangements for a grand military tournament which will of course attract many visitors. Special premiums are offered in abundance, and the exhibitor in any class will find an earnest competition and an adequate reward. We are glad to see our neighbors prospering so well, but we remember that individual energy has been the starting point. The California fair will offer special inducements only because the zeal of managers and liberality of private citizens make it possible. This will succeed because they have deserved it.

Now what can we do for ourselves? Reno has always been thrifty and energetic—has helped all just enterprises, and now we should help ourselves. Every citizen of this town and county can give his mite towards the public good in this direction. We ought to have a pavilion and numberless special premiums. We ought to show that citizens of this county are alive to the value of an agricultural society for the State. We ought to have a more successful fair than ever during 1878. A little energy will accomplish all these things, and every man should help. You say that times are dull. An exercise of judgment and liberality will brighten them. Be at the meeting Monday night as an earnest, active, wide-awake citizen.

SENATOR JONES ON THE SOUTHERN POLICY.

In relation to the Southern policy of President Hayes, Senator Jones says its adoption was a necessity, and that six months before the inauguration of Mr. Hayes, General Grant had reached the conclusion that policy and the will of the majority advised the withdrawal of the federal troops from the Southern States. The Senator says:

The election of President Hayes was all that prevented General Grant from pursuing the same course. I know that six months before the inauguration of Hayes, Grant had determined that the colored voters of the United States could not be protected by United States troops. Our government is a peculiar one. It is founded on the principle that the majority will rule, and that the fact that it is a majority invests it with power to protect itself. In such a government, if the majority can not, or will not, protect itself, it is almost impossible to protect it by any agency outside of itself. If the negroes in the South were in the minority, and their rights were trampled on by the white majority, the case would be different. As it was, the continued presence of federal troops in the South gave a powerful weapon for political warfare to the opponents of the Republican party, while they really subverted no practical end. They could not prevent intimidation, for they could only cover very few districts. The people of the North would have been rightfully considered as cravens had no effort been made to protect the men whom they had freed. They made the effort nobly, and it has failed. General Grant saw this; he realized that a majority which was unable, through ignorance, to protect itself, could not, from the very nature of the government itself, be protected by bayonets, and but for the coming speedy change in the administration, I really believe that he would have taken the responsibility of withdrawing the troops.

A female writer in Harper's Bazar, modestly holding the opinion that woman is a pure, holy and angelic being heads off contradiction from experienced male brutes by reminding them that their mothers were women. It has often struck us while reading the abuse which many of these female scribblers heap on the males of their species that they lose sight of the sacred fact that their fathers were men.

SURPRISE VALLEY ROADS.

The GAZETTE published last week some particulars in regard to projected improvements of the roads in Roop and Modoc counties. It is proposed to build a road from Surprise valley to Alturas, Modoc county, direct. On this side a road is to be constructed from Ross' camp, this side of Sheep Head springs, to Pyramid lake. The purpose of all this proposed expense and improvement is the desire of residents to concentrate their trade for Reno, as being the most profitable point, all things considered. A portion of the trade has been forced over the mountains to Redding owing to the fact of distance and hard roads on this side. A prominent merchant of Alturas now promises to build the proposed road from his town to the highest point between there and Bidwell, and the citizens of Modoc county will, without doubt, complete it.

There is a natural road via Pyramid Lake from here to Surprise. The new road from Ross' camp will follow the natural channel for the entire distance, and when a few improvements have been made in the main road now traveled, the farmers of Modoc will have easy and direct communication with Reno. Every element of interest and profit impels these people to trade with us, and they are hence willing to expend money to make the connection. It seems to the GAZETTE that, as we collect taxes in Roop county, the Commissioners should aid these improvements. We understand that \$150 is all that will be asked from Washoe, and this, it seems to us, would be a good investment. The trade of that section is worth money to us, and the people of Surprise believe their interests to be with us. In other words they are willing to make sacrifices to put money in our pockets. Why should we not help them.

FOR FAIR WEEK.

Considering the fact that with proper energy the State fair of 1878 will assemble 5000 or 6000 people in Reno, the GAZETTE has a suggestion to make. The time for stump speaking and a conference with all classes of voters will then be in its prime. Every hopeful candidate will know it is in the line of duty and pleasure to visit us when the people of Washoe are taking a week's holiday and comparing the results of a year's labor. Why then can we not secure the largest political meeting of the campaign for fair week at Reno. Senator Jones and his colleagues will without doubt assent to such a proposal and modify his dates in accordance with such a request. The Democratic orators can also be assured of a large audience, and a fine opportunity to address men from every portion of the State. The campaign which has now opened is one of great importance to the people. The State will be thoroughly canvassed without doubt, and no good opportunity should be lost to set before the people the intents and hopes of parties and candidates. Here, then, we have certainly proposed an excellent plan for inculcating the political lessons of the present campaign. The opposing parties can speak from the same platform and in public debate. Or, if they prefer, different evenings can be assigned and the same people will thus be able to compare the Republican and the Democrat when at his best. The orator who convinces the Reno audience during fair week will have an influence only bounded by the State, for all sections will be represented. Further than this, the opportunity presenting itself, the partisan certainly confesses weakness if he refuses to address what will be essentially a State audience. We believe this scheme to be easy of accomplishment and the GAZETTE commends it to the attention of the citizens' meeting.

THAT IRRIGATION PROBLEM.

In yesterday's issue we called attention to the questionable practice of diverting the waters of a stream or those of its tributaries into distant parts for the reclamation of desert land, and predicted that should such practices continue to increase, that the probable result would be that a number of serious law-suits would ensue. The policy of robbing Peter to pay Paul will of course not prove agreeable to Peter. The agricultural lands along the Truckee may easily be irrigated with even less water than runs in the river but the waters of this river are not used solely for the purpose of irrigation. There are several valuable mills on the river which are run by water, and when the river is very low these mills must shut down. Of course mill men will not quietly allow land-owners in Sierra valley or elsewhere off the line of the river to deprive them of their first rights. The question of riparian rights is one of the most difficult questions in law to decide. In addition, our system of irrigation involves peculiar applications of these rights. We irrigate very largely by common consent, and therefore have the unique and at the same time complex application of the law bearing on the questions at issue, known as the common local law. Our system, as we have said, is a peculiar one, and at the time one which is neither old nor has it received the close attention of law-writers and law-makers. Therefore, in the absence of special and complete statutory provision, the local common law will find more or less application in suits at law. That these suits will arise there is no question. In fact a law-suit is about to be commenced by the Washoe Valley farmers against Hobart & Marlette for diverting the streams which naturally flow into Washoe Valley into other quarters.

None will question but that it is highly desirable to bring into market lands which, without water, are absolutely worthless; but if this must be done at the expense of those who own lands along the banks of the river, a serious question at once arises as to the policy of so doing. By all law those who own land bordering on a stream have the first right to the waters of that stream, and this right must be purchased, as one would buy their land, else that right cannot lawfully be infringed upon.

Speaking of Jeff Davis, the Raleigh (N. C.) Observer says: "It is true that the government still refuses him some of the rights of citizenship, but if he be not the full peer of Ulysses S. Grant or Rutherford B. Hayes in all the rights of an American citizen, as he is their superior in all other respects, it is not because he has forfeited these rights by the commission of any offense against the laws of the country, but because of the malignant hate of an impotent enemy that dares not otherwise wreak its much-coveted vengeance on him." He has earned some rights as a criminal, also, which he has never enjoyed. A few more of his reasonable utterances, and we should favor Mr. Davis' admission to all the rights which distinguished traitors ever enjoyed.

A Democratic contemporary shamelessly confesses that "Iowa is overrun with tramps," and adds: "Probably this is why that State so easily rolls up 60,000 Republican majority." We haven't any doubt of it. A tramp can't always command his locality, and on election day the bulk of the Iowa Democracy is far from home, knocking at Republican doors, begging for broken victuals.

Theodore A. Hale, who has been mentioned in many of the State papers as a Republican candidate for State Controller, now publishes a card saying that he has no such aspiration and will serve in the ranks.

EDITORIAL NOTES.]

The Brotherton brothers have opened an oyster saloon in San Francisco and the press is yelling for Christians to go there and eat. The theory here set forth presumes that a reform of character is projected and a broad belief is also insinuated that the thoughtful Christian ought to stuff himself with diseased oysters during the months of July and August that these shrimp vendors may once more become lamblike. Jack Harrington once reformed and started a soda fountain, but his yearnings for Christ and his income were at once cut short by the temperance persons, who borrowed his glasses and chairs. The Brothertons are no doubt worthy of miraculous aid, but there is something too extravagant in the idea of convicted forgers living upon the bellies of church deacons for the simple reason that these worthies have to make a living off their piety and can't afford to eat shrimps and oysters engaged in the form of private contributions. The Brothertons will find in this class of patrons a safe deposit company for all the mollusks which their credit will purchase.

James G. Fair is not a candidate for anything, and authorizes the Gold Hill News to proclaim the fact. The motive which induced a mention of Mr. Fair's name is a characteristic of Nevada politics. Mr. Fair is said to be a man of some means and certain Democrats knew that if he chose to run they might as well be in favor as among the outs. They tumbled over each other, therefore, in a wild desire to touch the hem of his political garment. Mr. Fair has now witnessed their loyalty to his means, and, becoming weary of the mob, proceeds to kick them out of doors. Each one will take his bruise with a light heart and say "Well, if the old man ever concludes to stand in he will know who his friends are." As that fine Chinook scholar, Deacon P., would say, *verbum sap.*

Geo. W. Barleigh lately lectured in Capron, Illinois, on "Suicide." At the conclusion of the lecture Mr. Barleigh blew a hole through the place where he should have had brains. The custom inaugurated by Mr. B. should find many zealous imitators. There are several Early persons who mangle their native language for an admission fee who would invite more interest as the central figure in a funeral procession. Let Mr. Barleigh's name be handed down, and his commendable act accorded the most fulsome practice.

The Enterprise says that in the recent interview with Senator Jones no reference was made to the outrageous discriminations against this State by the Union and Central Pacific railroad companies—discriminations which are robbing the people of Nevada of millions of dollars annually. We hope to hear the Senator announce, with the vehemence which characterizes his tireless assault upon the Eastern gold rings, that this robbery of our people must be stopped.

Mrs. John W. Mackay lately proposed to buy the celebrated "Arch of Triumph" from the city of Paris because they would not allow her to light it up with electricity. Mrs. Mackay reminds one of the lady, who, when told that her daughter had no capacity for music, declared that no expense should be spared in procuring one.

The Virginia Footlight is a pretty bright little paper, but when it goes groping about in the musts of antiquity and seizes by its thin gray hair the following joke and palms it off as original it is time for the young men of the land to rise, organize and protest with a pick handle: "It is

said that Eve was made for Adams Express Company."

The Carson Appeal believes that Fred Hart's attack on Connor was very injudicious, and in the interest of Congressman Wren. The Appeal says that Wren is responsible for Hart's utterances, and intimates that Mr. Hart's assertions will ere long be refuted with a force which will astonish all Sazerac, and possibly defeat Mr. Wren, in whose interest they are made. We think it hardly fair to hold Mr. Wren for newspaper utterances, and yet it is apparent that he must fight Connor. Connor's success in Eureka will be Wren's defeat, and vice versa. From public talk and press utterances Connor seems to be the stronger.

A crusade against impure milk has been inaugurated in Virginia. It was commenced by the press and naturally engaged the attention of lawyers and doctors. As might have been expected, the movement is progressing slowly. The Comstock attorney knows nothing about milk and the doctors never prescribe it except for infants. The saloon-keepers frown upon the movement as a pretext for introducing the juice of the cow to public notice, while one doctor Guffin was found who testified that slops and swill did not hurt the quality of the milk—no doubt upon the theory that a useless article can not be injured. The case is already souring upon the people.

An exchange was moved to say this in regard to capital: "When it is invested to sustain and repay the industrial labor of men, it is a blessing which, like the dew from heaven, falls on all beneath to vitalize and invigorate." It is our duty to inform this brave man that dew does not fall clear from heaven, but comes originally from the earth. If capital ever falls from a great height to invigorate, etc., it might be well also to remember that it, too, came in the first place from labor.

Mike McGowan, the "man-eater," is in Tuscarora, where he was lately imprisoned for chewing the cheek of a Democratic politician. Suppose that Mickey should, in a fit of cannibalistic rage, devote his molars to the pulverizing of He-shie Pollard, the only news bonanza in Tuscarora. Horrible thought! Awake, Dennis and Sessions. Make haste and bind Mike over to keep the pieces.

The primaries for Republicans in Eureka has been ordered for September 7th, and the county convention for September 13th. We like to see due notice given of primaries. It looks like a fair deal, and will strengthen the Republican cause if every county in the State allows the people a fair choice of delegates.

Hon. C. C. Goodwin, of the Enterprise, says he will not be a candidate for Judge of the first district. Judge Goodwin, having escaped the poverty and hard work of the legal profession, is naturally reluctant to forsake the opulence and luxury which is found in all well regulated newspaper offices.

The editor of the Lyon County Times wants people to chain up their dogs. The request is reasonable and should be granted. There are other methods besides the canine through which this pungent humorist may be curbed.

The Parkinson person who edits the Carson Tribune impudently accuses the GAZETTE of having invented the interview with Colonel Garrard which appeared in these columns a few days ago. If the foolish deacon had taken the trouble to walk a block and see Colonel Garrard, he wouldn't have made a donkey of himself needlessly.

In these times the candidate doth abound and many there are who would befool his name. It is now whispered about that the candidate for town honors has in years gone by murdered his grandmother and robbed a bank. Also, that ye aspirant for county honors is no other than the famous highwayman who operated in '49. Let not this deter ye, however, for many there are who would like to take your places. Announce yourselves promptly in ye GAZETTE.

When you hear anybody talking about his neighbor or friend, appraise him. You will find a large margin between his actual worth and the value which he claims. This is good advice, especially for small towns, where every man claims the right to judge himself and condemn his neighbor. There are very few persons in this world who are worthy of crucifixion, although you will find many who would like it.

An account of how Senator Bruce made his way from slavery to the Senate floor is now enduring publication. Bruce is given credit for being the best specimen of his race in Congress. He is much inferior to Pinch-back, both in ability and appearance. A GAZETTE reporter interviewed the two distinguished Africans on their way to the Eastern States and was impressed with their sound sense and unassuming manner.

The sand-lot meetings still continue in San Francisco, and were especially interesting on the arrival of the Chinese Embassy. The dragon flag was hoisted over the Palace hotel, whereat the Workingmen were highly incensed. The ward presidents assembled on Monday and were loud in their complaints about the recent election. The Chinese Ambassador and suite did not seem to mind the agitators, but made a quiet tour of the city and Chinese quarter.

Dom Pedro says he never signed a death warrant in his life, and asserts that he will not if it can consistently be avoided. Well now what if he didn't? Neither did we. But we never rushed off to the papers and blowed about it.

The Times-Review believes that L. I. Hogle, of Palisade, is not only a possible candidate for Lieutenant-Governor before the Republicans, but, in the opinion of the journal quoted, the probable nominee.

Carson is about to change her political hue because Hon. J. P. Jones has not yet visited that metropolis. The fact that he stopped in Reno was enough.

Another Queen is dead, Fatou ma Djomby, sovereign of Moheley, a little island at the entrance of the Mozambique channel.—Ex.

The lady was a niece of Deacon Parkinson. Fiat justitia.

D. C. McKinney, of Austin, has announced himself a candidate for reelection as Judge of the fifth judicial district. His proclamation appears in the Reveille.

D. R. Sessions, Major domo of our University at Elko, is a candidate for Schoolmaster-General. Mr. Sessions is a gentleman of culture, but has Democratic proclivities.

The Leader says that Cassidy is promising the neutrality of his paper and anything else under his control to defeat Bradley. If Bradley can't be beaten without Cassidy's efforts he will be elected.

The Cosmopolitan hotel, San Francisco, is to be closed August 1st. Mr. Sharon wants to increase the patronage at the Palace.

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EDITORIAL NOTES:

There doesn't seem to be any enthusiasm over the Chinese embassy in San Francisco. About the only American officials present upon the arrival of the distinguished visitors were a few policemen to prevent the flight of the popular cobbler and brick-bat. The gentlemanly and independent office-holder, municipal, state and federal, kept out of the way, in deference to an enlightened public and voting opinion. The members of the embassy appear to be men of education and good manners, and they must be mortified by a sense of their heathen inferiority when brought face to face with Christian civilization, and the politeness which is inseparable from it. The press of the metropolis—always spicy and bold—very justly views the embassy as a gang of laundrymen. It is by such determined and admirable opposition as this that the Pacific coast impresses upon the East the justness of the arguments against Chinese immigration.

Elsewhere in to-day's GAZETTE is published a dispatch from New York relating how two villains succeeded in convincing the conductor and passengers of a train that a beautiful and wealthy married lady of Boston, who was on board going to Albany to meet her husband, was insane and in their charge. Despite the terrified lady's protestations the daring scoundrels took her from the train at Utica. There, under the horror of the situation, she swooned. The devils placed her in a carriage, chloroformed her, took her to a brothel and there outraged and robbed her. The woman, when found by her husband, was out of her mind. A bolder and more horrible crime than this was never committed. It is one of the few cases in which a lamp-post hanging would be proper. No term of imprisonment, however long, would be adequate punishment for such a damnable deed.

The Sacramento Bee, a Democratic paper, but for all that sensible and independent, in its issue of last evening spoke of Senator Jones in these admiring terms: "The popular reception to Hon. J. P. Jones throughout Nevada show the appreciation in which he is held by the people. The gallant champion of currency reform came back to his adopted State crowned with new honors and with his name known as a power throughout the Union. But for his tireless efforts and able arguments the Silver bill might have been buried in a congressional waste basket. If ever a man deserved re-election it is he."

The telegraph yesterday brought the discouraging news that in his observation of the eclipse "Edison's tasimeter failed to work satisfactorily, and he used a thermopile, which caused an unsteady motion in the galvanometer." A greater misfortune than this could not have befallen the country during these hard times. Had the thing been a success even the poorest family might have had its tasimeter, but now we shall be compelled to worry along on the old thermopiles and galvanometers. This, just on the eve of an exciting campaign, is peculiarly hard to bear.

It is flashed over the trembling telegraph wires that Colonel James G. Fair has returned to Virginia from a visit to Lake Tahoe much improved in health. Our bullioniferous thanks bubble up to heaven. The argenteriferous grief that would tear our toadying soul at any bad news concerning the health of the war-worn Colonel could only be measured by the cable which hoists ore from the Con. Virginia. A more high-minded, noble-souled, philanthropic gentleman than Colonel Fair does not exist, and, for the matter of that, we shall always say the

same of any man worth more than a million dollars. Items, telegraphic and otherwise, concerning the health, appetite, sleeping and digesting powers of men of wealth will always be thankfully received and liberally paid for.

Let us lay away the bloody shirt. It offends the sight of the loyal Democracy. How can the gory garment be anything but offensive to the patriotic Montgomery (Alabama) Advertiser, which feelingly remarks: "There will not and cannot be any reconciliation founded upon repentance upon the part of the people of the South. They have never said, and will not say that they were wrong." Then there is the Mobile Register. Its feelings shouldn't be hurt, either. It merely wants to be let alone, and a monument erected to the memory of the pirate Semmes. Thus: "Let the world-famous sea-king stand upon a lofty pedestal, clothed in his sailor uniform, and surrounded by the emblems of his glorious deeds!"

The Eastern newspapers are calling Charles Reade a blackguard because he wrote back to a Buffalo man who had written to him about it, that none but an idiot and a villain would maintain that the left hand could not be made as strong and skillful as the right. We perfectly agree with Mr. Reade. If we had our way about it we should boil the man in oil that maintained such a gross, dangerous and immoral opinion. Left hand, indeed! No no; let us stand by the right hand of our daddies and dynamite the ruffian who would suggest a change.

In connection with the intelligence that the pull-back will prevail through the summer and autumn and that very short skirts will be fashionable, it is interesting to know that Olive Logan reports a new and exceedingly expensive stocking. It is to be of lace, "open-work from the toe to over the knee, and so transparent that ladies will have to wear a silk stocking under it."

Deacon Parkinson, of the Tribune, a Carson publication, is acknowledged on all sides to be the ablest scissoring in the journalistic profession. Rival editors who object to having their work appropriated without credit should print their matter on sheet-iron. But even then, to use the Deacon's own clear and appropriate language: "Nunc comica, fiat justitia." In other words, verbum sap.

It must be improving to behold a St. Louis journalist, exuding beer at every pore and with a breath like a blast from a slaughter-house penning such paragraphs as this from the Globe-Democrat: "Keep as cool as you can this hot weather. Eat no flesh and above all, let everything in the shape of malt and spirituous liquors alone."

Major Dennis, of the Tuscarora Times-Review, maintains in an able article that clipping items from other papers is a severer strain on the editorial brain than the production of original matter. The columns of the Times-Review show that the strain upon the Major's brain must be frightful.

Cassidy, of the Eureka Sentinel, has had his conscience quickened. His confession is brief, but covers his case. Here it is: "A malicious liar, with types and presses at his command, is the worst possible foe of society."

There is really no resisting the passions when they devote themselves to fascinating the sex that was last at the cross and first at the sepulchre. Lucy Easley Lewis, a young lady of Charlotte Court House, Virginia, has just run away with and married Rev. W. M. Jackson, aged eighty-eight.

The pleasing intelligence comes from Europe that Joaquin Miller has cut off his hair. We hope, however, that the bearded bard of the bold, brass-bound Sierras still abstractedly stares at the ceiling and starts suddenly when anybody speaks to him.

Patti gets \$1000 per night during her engagement in London. And still here are we slaving away for less than half that reward. The subscription price of the GAZETTE is \$10 per annum, invariably in advance.

Popular education is encouraged in

the South. Average salaries of South Carolina school teachers \$28 32 per month.

In a letter written to the "Nationals" of his district, Hon. Schuyler Colfax reminds the party which had tendered him the nomination for Congress, that while he has from "the outset vindicated the greenbacks before the people, while many who now claim to be their special champion were deriding them and the sacred cause they were issued to sustain," he is still an earnest adherent to the Republican party; "which authorized them, and has, by a maintenance of national faith and credit, brought them up in purchasing value to an equivalent with the best dollar any nation can claim to have." Mr. Colfax says he has no desire to re-enter public life.

The GAZETTE, at the risk of appearing presumptuous, and without leave or license from anyone, would like to mention the name of M. C. Lake for County Treasurer. Mr. Lake will not run for any office in the public gift, but we understand that if nominated he would accept. We do not believe that ought can be said against him as a citizen or business man, and his word is as good as his bond. Let it be understood that Mr. Lake is not seeking this or any other office, but the GAZETTE mentions the matter because it believes Mr. Lake a strong man for Republicans, and a choice which would be particularly happy and beneficial for the people of Washoe county.

"There is nothing so successful as success." A few short months ago Sutro was "Dolph, the Assyrian," "The great bore," and funny things were said of him in connection with the great "dunel." But now, look you, it is "Adolph Sutro, king of the indomitables," and the newspaper makers are frightened lest they may not be more eulogistic than they were before abusive. They also preach about this practice of heaping sarcasm and vile abuse upon a man as something unworthy a free and enlightened press. Well, perhaps it is; if so, brethren, refrain.

A report has just reached this coast dripping with electric fluid to the effect that Jay Gould and Jim Keene have kissed and made up. The entire coast is trembling with joy at the announcement. The fact of an entire re-establishment of harmony between two famous eastern tricksters is a matter which this coast can hardly ignore. It has long been feared that these two men might rob each other. That chance is now happily cancelled and they will both devote their attention to the rest of us.

The Eureka Leader thinks that the State of Nevada will be the party most interested in Republican success this fall, and hopes that no outside issues will be allowed to attract attention from our home necessities. The point made by the Leader is a good one and scarcely requires argument. Yet experience has shown that State matters are generally covered over by the schemes of politicians for personal advancement or gain.

An exchange speaks of the "the third term avalanche" as gaining force, and estimates the strength of Hagerman or Fox as 2,000 more than that of Bradley in this State. The Republican avalanche is also hanging upon the mountain side ready to be launched, and if the right hands can be found to push it off there will be a commotion down below.

Butler thinks that Grant will not be a candidate for third term honors, because he is already at the highest point which an American can reach. Benjamin favors some adequate recognition of Grant's services, military and civic. He would like to see Ulysses made Field Marshal for life, with a salary of \$25,000 per year. Grant deserves it.

We omitted unintentionally a notice of the new volume which has been lately opened by the Times-Review. Major Dennis has made his paper attractive and original in all its departments. We hope that a recognition of Tuscarora's mineral wealth may be long increased the labor field of the Times-Review.

The experts have been allowed the

supreme pleasure of visiting the Ophir. Cross-cut No. 2 has been opened to them, and what did they find? According to their assertions in the Chronicle, "It is a lovely gamble." Only this and nothing more. It is not to be said that mine managers would fix things for visiting day, but merely that experts can not always translate what they see any better than others. The stock may go to \$30 or \$100—the experts don't know which.

[Special to the Evening Gazette.]

Benny Butler and Denny Kearney have interviewed each other and to the following effect.

Kearney.—Bin, are ye a murderin' thafe o' the wurruld, or are ye a political dhrayman?

Butler.—Denny I lay my hand up on the heart of the great Essex statesman and affirm that I have been compelled to haul more heavy loads in politics than anybody. I am a truckler.

K.—Bin, d'ye belave in banks?

B.—Not any Dennis save the one which holds my small savings. People are making money out of banks here and we must stop it.

K.—Whoop, the hell-bound villains let me at 'em.

B.—I want to be Governor—

[Enter Mrs. Kearney]—Dinny, dear, did you see anything o' the soup ladle?

Butler [promptly rising]—Madame, if you suspect the great Essex statesman, you may search him.

After quiet is restored Denny and Benny unite in a carnival singing "Oh that will be joyful When draymen work no more."

This paper, in common with many others, has seen fit to ridicule the campaign doctrines which are followed by General Howard against the red-skins. We have judged him by results as reported to us through correspondence and telegrams. We now know, through a valued friend in Oregon, that we have misinterpreted the General, and in fact done his works injustice. Our friend having noticed a sneer in the GAZETTE against General Howard's stern chasing, informs us that the means provided for Howard's use have always been inadequate. That he has been compelled to labor against everything, and has never complained but accepted every responsibility himself. Our correspondent also speaks of "one armed Howard" in a way which causes us to regret if, through lack of information, we have done him injustice. We know what it is to fight with poor weapons, and believe, upon our friend's assertion, that General Howard is in this position.

Senator Jones, of Nevada, tells the New York Graphic this: "Gen. Grant is a personal as well as political friend of mine. I do not think he dreams of being renominated. There are a lot of candidates in the Republican party to choose from." He also said at the same time "that a system of public improvement should be inaugurated by the Government to give the industrial poor employment." When Jones comes to understand the land question he will advocate it with vigor and may thus become the foremost public man of the nation.—Sacramento Bee.

Artie Brace is undone, out-done and over-done by Wm. Turner, alias Jones. This gentleman stole the city of Rio Vista recently, at least all that was moveable in that burg. Three thousand and sacks of grain, several coils of rope, 100 feet of hose, and the town library were a portion of his booty. Mr. Turner would have taken the Board of Aldermen, but he had no use for them. The property was rather bulky, and so Mr. Turner was detected, another proof of the marvelous detective skill which prevails in this country.

The Hostiles are all breaking for home, getting back to their reservations as fast as possible but they take in a chance stage driver or run off a band of horses whenever opportunity offers. General Howard is now in the Malheur country. Small bands of hostiles are still raiding in Jordan Valley Oregon. Wm. Hemingway stage driver was killed July 31st, near Monday's Ferry on the Snake river.

The Sacramento Bee is always improving and expanding its ideas and customs. The latest departure made by this journalistic insect is more marked than any previous change. Its columns now show at least a hasty reading of exchanges, as against its previous custom of quoting always from the Bee. The Bee bids fair to

become readable, and there must certainly be a new hand at the bellows.

The astronomers from Rawlins and other points met at Denver July 31st, for the comparison of notes and discussion of observations. Prof. Watson feels certain he has discovered Vulcan southwest of the sun about three degrees distant. Prof. Draper succeeded in getting a photograph of the corona, thus proving that most of the light of the corona is reflected from the sun, and is not due to ignited gas.

The troops up north are short of rations and so are the Bannocks. If they can keep up a famine among the red-skins the war will cease, because an Indian will capitulate to his stomach much sooner than to all the howitzers which can be trained upon him. We have long been of the opinion that stomach pumps were the correct weapons for Indian warfare.

An intensely democratic exchange says in commenting upon an independent utterance: "Yes there lies the trouble. The people have been sold out so often that they are sick of the old organizations and the old managers." Is it fair to presume that this man does not know all about both parties, and is only making a frank confession for Democracy.

The swill milk war in Virginia has not yet resulted in a victory for the people. The Alexander Brothers have been found "not guilty" and no good has resulted except to warn the people and make of every citizen a swill milk sharp. The reform has no doubt been assured, however, and the Comstocker ought to be happy.

The Silver State says that Government flour is supplied to Boise City and McDermitt from San Francisco, and costs them \$19.60 per hundred. The same paper intimates that some of it is frequently reshipped to San Francisco and sold again. That might be called swindling extraordinary.

According to the Grass Valley Union "Miscegenation prevails in Liberia." What may that be, young fellow? Something like yellow fever or hog cholera?

We are neither a soothsayer, the son of a soothsayer, nor a wierd sister.—Carson Appeal.

THE EASTERN PRESS ON KEARNEY.

A New York Times' Boston special on Kearney says:

Certain it is as present that there is no such ism as Kearneyism here. That he is under critical examination and that he has to win his way to applause and support, he seems to realize already, and most of his talk is to convince "the boys," as he calls the sons of toil, that he is not the violent, revolutionary fellow painted, and that damnable newspapers, which he affects to hate with the same intensity which Butler displays, have misrepresented and maligned him. It is generally believed he will strike a moderate tone in his opening speech and endeavor to make a good impression at the start. There is much speculation as to his intentions towards Butler's campaign. He freely expresses his fondness for the General and his desire to give him a lift in the campaign, but he insists he comes here on his own responsibility and without consultation with the General.

The New York Tribune editorially says:

The insurrection against all the respectabilities and decencies of modern civilization and enlisting the prejudices and passions of the lowest classes, needs a rich Butler to foot the bills as well as recklessly to stir up the mob. If any man can come forward with a sensible statement of the real needs of the laboring men and of practical remedies, he ought to be hailed as a public benefactor by everybody, and will be so welcomed by every intelligent capitalist and laborer; but nobody can answer wild ranting; nobody can meet with reason men who do not know what they want nor why they want it. The most dangerous force in society at present is the vague notion of laborers that the hardness of their lots is somewhat due—they can not tell how—to unjust action or non-action by those who hold the savings and capital of society, and that it must in some blind or incomprehensible way be remedied by overturning things generally.

The New York Herald says:

If Kearney's ideas are correct or reasonable he shall be well reported. He may prove to be a power in the Fall.

Followers of the Turkish agitator who raised an insurrection against the Ottoman authorities at Serajevo, have deposed the civil Governor and stormed and plundered the armory, after a sanguinary conflict with the gendarmes.

RATHER IMPRACTICABLE.

The Enterprise published yesterday a double-shotted editorial, with side-lights, which was intended to say that the Republican party must nominate the people's choice this year. This assertion, although luminous like a political headlight, does not require a freight train full of argument to back it up, and hence may be admitted. We will say, then, that the Republican party can avoid defeat by nominating their best men, and not otherwise.

The method proposed by the Enterprise, however, is not quite so simple or easy of admission. It is known as the Crawford plan, and provides that each voter shall, at the primaries give his choice for Governor on the same ballot with that voted for delegates. It will be remembered that we seek to nominate the best men, and it might well be asked, how do the people know, as yet, who may be the best man. There has been no declaration of opinion or intent on the part of any candidate. In fact, such declaration has been studiously evaded. We have not yet seen whether the friends of these candidates will favor or oppose a declaration of principles in convention which shall meet the public wish. We know nothing, in short, which might influence a wise choice, when we reflect that there are local questions to be answered, and local interests to preserve.

It will readily be seen, then, that such a choice might easily prove unfortunate for the party. It would not bring about a harmonious feeling, because different counties would make different choice, and under direct instruction from the people, what delegation could be asked to give way. Such a plan would also make the delegation entirely subservient to the wishes of its candidate, which is not at all desirable.

Besides all these objections, we would urge that of impracticability. The plan has been tried and found wanting. The Enterprise suggests writing the names, upon the theory that Democrats can't write. This is as ingenious as the Crawford plan, but scarcely less practical. We incline to the belief that the Enterprise intends only the best for the Republican party, but has mistaken the method sadly.

How will this do? Encourage the greatest freedom among voters, and ask them to choose for delegates the very best members of their party. Allow these men to visit the convention, compare the records and platforms approved by the various candidates, and then choose. Such a choice will come from the people, and they will be in active sympathy with it.

KEARNEY AND THE PRESS.

Kearney boasts in Boston that he is not a man who has been made by newspapers. And he also expresses unbounded contempt for the press. No wonder. He doubtless feels it. Kearney compelled the richest and most powerful journals of San Francisco to grovel at his brogans. He was able to take away a few subscribers from them. When this awful fact was felt the newspapers ceased to abuse or ridicule, and fawned upon him to this day. It is not strange that Kearney has a contempt for newspapers. The mean, sordid trucking of the Call, Chronicle, Post, Bulletin and Eureka, to the king of the sand-lots forms one of the most shameful pages in the history of journalism. Not only Kearney, but all San Francisco has learned to despise a press that, for the sake of a few subscribers, fell upon its knees and pleaded for the favor of a man like Kearney. With all his ignorance, brutality and vanity, that little clod-booper is a much nobler figure than the cowardly press upon which he spat and continues to spit.

At a meeting of the creditors of the Sierra flume and Lumber Company, held in San Francisco on the 31st, a general sentiment was expressed in favor of a plan whereby several of the creditors who were the original promoters of the enterprise, and are practical men in the business of lumbering, should take hold and resume the work.

A terrific wind and rain storm passed over Detroit on the 31st, doing considerable damage. The roof of the Detroit Stove Works became overlaid with water and fell in, injuring one man. Loss, \$15,000.

It is stated that direct negotiations between Germany and the Vatican will be opened, and that the former is bent on a reconciliation.

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Sacramento and Boca bottled beer delivered
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Come around and refresh yourself.

The finest brands of

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Wholesale and Retail.

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Wines, Liquors and Cigars,

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Connected with the Bar is a

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SALOON OPEN DAY NIGHT.

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THE BEST BRANDS OF

Wines, Liquors and Cigars,

Constantly on hand.

Connected with our saloon is a PARO
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Beer always on hand.
Give me a call.

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Latest Styles,
New Goods,
Low Prices,

I have just received my Large stock of

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Wines, Liquors, Cigars, Etc.

Of the Best Quality.

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Wood of Every Size & Quality

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AT THE LOWEST RATES BY THE

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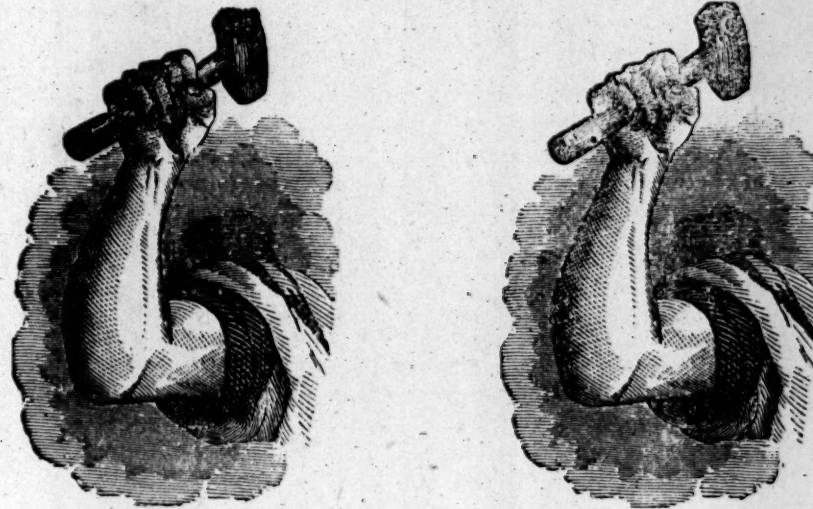
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JOHN CAHLAN.

MANAGER

Reno, April 14, 1877-11

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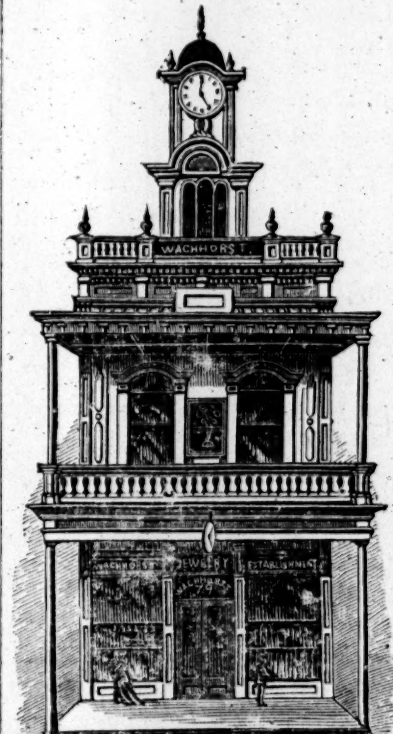
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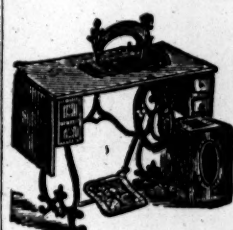
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J. P. FOULKS WILL DELIVER THE
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last night, between North Center street
and the Methodist Church. The finder will
greatly oblige by leaving it at this office. 22-1w

Instrumental Music,
BY PROFESSOR OLE LARSON, SR.,
one of the best violinists in the State.
Orders left at C. J. Brookins'. 7-15-11

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HOUSE ON WEST STREET, 5 ROOMS,
ample grounds. Apply immediately at
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I HAVE FOR SALE A GOOD SINGER
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FOR \$100, A COMPLETE SET OF HOUSE-
hold furniture, consisting of Bed room
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THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE THAT R. L.
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Spring and Summer Clothing!

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I will leave Golden Eagle Hotel,
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thus making the trip in two days and in day-
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RATES OF FARE AND FREIGHT:
Fare through to Susanville.....\$3
Freight—Under 200 lbs., 2 cts per lb.; over
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All freights carried on this line must
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cisco or Sacramento, shipped in care of Earl
& Co., Reno.

All orders or business given to me will re-
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GEORGE H. LOVWELL,

—ARTIST IN—

Photography,

Reno,.....Nevada.

[7-9-11]

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INFORMS HORSE-MEN AND THE PUB-
lic generally that he has always been very
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FRODOSKI'S SOAP.

A Man Without a Shirt Giving Away Five Hundred Dollars.

Respectable twilight of Commercial row was shocked on Saturday evening by an apparition on a dry goods box. The apparition was very red in the face, and beardless, and was clothed in a dirty linen duster buttoned close under its double chin, and a two-bit straw hat. The apparition shouted to Reno that it proposed to give away "free gratis, and wholly without reward," sums aggregating about \$500. All the apparition asked in return for his generosity was that Reno should buy cakes of Dr. Frodoski's celebrated soap, for removing oil, paint, grease and other stains from the clothing, for which he, the bloated apparition, was the fortunate agent. Price, \$1. The apparition had invented a new method of advertising. He had a box—held by a disinterested stranger—which contained 300 envelopes. Into a certain number of these envelopes he would place—the apparition would—a certain number of orders for certain sums of money, ranging in amount from \$1 to \$100. Every Renoite purchasing one cake of the celebrated Frodoski's soap would be presented with three of these envelopes free of charge. The apparition wished it distinctly understood that these envelopes were not sold, but given away, "as a means of advertising and facilitating the sale of the celebrated Frodoski's soap." When the apparition, to prove that there was no sleight of hand in the business, drew up the sleeves of his duster, proving also that although he was going to give away \$500, he scorned to wear a shirt. He did not take the trouble to let the now large crowd see the "orders" which he folded with such ostentatious fairness, but put them into the envelopes, announced their value, and threw them into the cracker-box. The first man who bought a cake of the celebrated Frodoski's soap won \$20; so did the second purchaser, and then the crowd began, as all intelligent crowds will, to hand up their dollars. Some dollar prizes were drawn, and also one of \$10. The apparition after bagging about \$60, announced that he was a ruined person, as the sharp men of Reno had broken his bank, so he got down from his dry goods box and disappeared. An ancient Syrian chronicler which is owned by the editor of the GAZETTE explains that once upon a time, before the reign of King Moriaty, of the Seventh dynasty, there arose in Shaw's Flat, the capital of the country, a strange man named Mulligano the Harpud, son of Cheeque, the Rustlaire, and he made a large figure before the people, who cried in admiration: "Behold, he hath gall, hath this Mulligano;" for it was the custom of this great man to take tours into the interior, and perform for the edification of the people upon the jamboree. And when the Mulligano was without silver and gold, and dirty and shirtless, he would approach the leading sports of those days and put up with them a structure called a job, and invite the people to enter onto the outside of it, which the eager Syrians generally did. The Mulligano sold upon the streets a preparation for cleansing garments, and gave away large sums of money in free envelopes as a means of advertising and facilitating the sale of his cleansing mixture. It came to pass, likewise, that the two first purchasers who got away with the big prizes, and that all the prizes fell to the pals of the sports, for the orders in the envelopes were not marked and the Mulligano read them to suit himself. And when the Syrians were sucked dry the Mulligano, and the sports, and the pals would meet in the back room of a saloon, sports would take back the money wherewith they had staked the Mulligano, and then a grand Syrian ceremonial called the "whack-up" would wind up the night's performances.

Of the employees of the Sutro tunnel company, there is one working on the Sutro ranch who is said to be the son of a Scotch nobleman. He converses in seven different languages, is gentlemanly in his manners when he wishes to be, but is very dissipated. His identity can be vouched for by parties in Virginia City.—Sutro Independent.

There is great excitement among the grain dealers in Chicago over the corner in the wheat market.

Religious Intelligence.

The fashionable congregation of the Twenty-sixth street church, Philadelphia, were scandalized the other Sunday on finding that the fans which the sexton and his son had distributed to the pews and the pulpit were flaming advertisements of Buggles' bitters and Shommin's soap. These crafty advertising agents had bribed the sexton's boy with fifty cents, and he had impressed his unsuspecting father to assist him in imposing the fans on the indignant worshippers.

An old Baptist Church scandal is being gossiped about at Newark, N. J., where it has come to public notice that six months ago seven members were expelled for immoral conduct, among the number a prominent Sunday school officer and two young women he ruined.

Gouverneur, N. Y., is ablaze with excitement over the order for the arrest of Rev. H. C. Miller, rector of Trinity Church, who is charged by a cripple and invalid of 35 years with being the father of her unborn child. Mr. Miller is too sick to be examined now, but he maintains his innocence, and asserts that he is the victim of an unscrupulous conspiracy.

Hayes' Manly Letter.

While in New Orleans Sherman had written a letter to Governor Hayes detailing the situation, which letter was produced and read. To this Governor Hayes responded as follows:

COLUMBUS (O.), Nov. 27, 1876.—Dear Sir: I am greatly obliged for your letter of the 23d. You feel I am sure, as I do about this whole business. A fair election would have given us about forty Electoral votes at the South—at least that many; but we are not to allow our friends to defeat one outrage and fraud by another. There must be nothing crooked on our part. Let Mr. Tilden have the place by violence, intimidation and fraud rather than undertake to prevent it by means that will not bear the severest scrutiny. I appreciate the work done by the Republicans who have gone South, and am especially proud to acknowledge the honorable conduct of those from Ohio. The Democrats made a mistake in sending so many ex-Republicans. New converts are proverbially bitter and unfair toward those they have recently left. I trust you will soon reach the end of the work and be alive to return in health and safety.

Sincerely, R. B. HAYES.

Lawless Acts in New Mexico.

NEW YORK, July 25.—A Tribune special says: The clause in the Army bill about the use of soldiers as a posse comitatus has delivered over to the Western country to terrorism by outlaws. A gang of outlaws and murderers have driven the Postmaster of Lincoln, New Mexico, out of the country and under the protection of the military authorities at Fort Stanton, New Mexico. At least a dozen men have been murdered by this gang. Congress has taken protection from parties needing it under the posse comitatus clause of the Army bill, and in consequence the whole country of Lincoln has virtually been turned over to a gang of cutthroats. The civil authorities are powerless.

Austrian Troops to March.

VIENNA, July 25.—Arrangements for the march of Austrian troops into Bosnia are complete, but the order to march will not be given before the end of the week. Turkish authorities in the provinces have received directions from Constantinople that they are to meet the Austrians in a friendly spirit. Italian demonstrations absorb political interests here, but it is well understood that the whole affair is directed against the Cairo Ministry.

LONDON, July 25.—In the House of Commons to-day Joseph Canon, Radical, will present a petition from a small faction of extreme Turcopoles, demanding the impeachment of Lord Beaconsfield.

Too Much Yaller Kiver.

The Buffalo Express says: "Three young Canadian girls were at a New York police office on Friday, having been arrested for vagrancy. They had wandered to New York, hoping to get positions in a variety show, and had stolen money from their parents in order to pay their way. They had got their views of New York life from Frank Leslie's Boys and Girls Weekly, one of the most abominable papers ever printed. They will be sent home, wiser and sadder girls than when they went away."

A Corner in Wheat.

Chicago is excited over the result of the great corner in wheat now being run by Milwaukee and Chicago Commission merchants. The price has been steadily advanced for two weeks, with a prospect of being maintained at the present rate, or at still higher figures, during the remainder of the month. The visible supply of wheat is now but about four million bushels, and short sales for August delivery aggregate nearly twenty millions.

CONDENSED TELEGRAMS.

In Brooklyn last week there were 359 deaths.

The hostile Bannoeks are on the back track to Idaho.

General Escobedo has been condemned to be shot.

Seven persons were drowned on the 22d by a cloud-burst in Dakota.

A famine is imminent in Madras, India, from the ravages of locusts.

Bosnia and Herzegovina were on the 28th occupied by the Austrians.

The Potter committee have adjourned at Atlanta city, New Jersey.

A bale of cotton from Memphis received the first premium at the Paris exposition.

Lord Dufferin will be succeeded by the Marquis of Lorne as Governor-General of Canada.

New Orleans, up to noon on the 28th, had twenty-five deaths from yellow fever.

The Chicago Inter-Ocean has had a row with the Typographical Union and is looking for non-union printers.

Or, the 27th, at Cleveland, Ohio, Rarus trotted three heats in the remarkable time of 2:14½, 2:15, 2:14.

The Democrat leaders in Georgia are much alarmed at the progress of the Independent movement in this State.

The results of the Berlin congress continue to excite much popular feeling in France against England.

General Escobedo, the Mexican revolutionist, recently captured by the government troops has been sentenced to be shot.

On the 27th, at Long Branch, fifty-seven miles from Red Bluff, L. Fields committed suicide by cutting his throat.

Twelve tons of halibut were caught off Cape Flattery in two hours by the men connected with the schooner Letitia.

John McBurney was found drowned in Jarvis Creek, near Maher's Landing, Alameda county, California, July 27th.

Some persons attempted to burn the Rocklin hotel, at Rocklin, Cal., on the 27th, but the fire was put out before doing much damage.

Garibaldi has written a letter warmly approving of the annexation demonstration, and recommending rifle practice throughout Italy.

The Potter committee will examine Governor Palmer to-day in New York and then adjourn subject to the call of the Chairman.

The mob in Washington City Saturday again attempted to prevent laborers from working at reduced wages, but was dispersed by the police. Two of the rioters were shot.

The grand banquet tendered to Beaconsfield and Salisbury by the Carlton club took place on the 27th. Five hundred Peers and Commons were present.

July 27th a stack of grain in G. Fleming's wheat field, near Hollister, Cal., caught fire from a spark from the threshing machine. A separator and a valuable span of horses were also burned.

The authorities of Shreveport, Mobile, Memphis, Galveston and other southern cities have established rigid quarantine regulations against New Orleans. The yellow fever is no joke in the South.

Kearney arrived in Boston on the 28th, where a large crowd was drawn to see him. He was escorted to the Sherman house by several hundred workmen led by a darkey drummer, and delivered one of his characteristic utterances in his shirt sleeves.

At Portland, Oregon, July 28th, a thirteen year old daughter of Captain Horatio Cook was kindling a fire with kerosene, when it exploded, setting fire to her clothes and burning her fatally. Her mother was seriously burned while trying to extinguish the flames.

Several of the labor rioters in Washington were shot on the 27th, while endeavoring to drive laborers from their work. A majority of the rioters are negroes and the rest Irish. A large force of marines was kept in readiness to assist the police if necessary.

In Chicago, July 27th, the Coroner's jury recommended that Dr. Earl be held without bail for having committed an abortion with fatal effect, the victim being Miss Elizabeth McKay. Miss Rozier, at whose house the act was committed, was held as an accomplice. Earl has served one year in the penitentiary for a similar offense.

More labor troubles are reported from Washington. The disaffected laborers stopped work on several government buildings, and in the course of the trouble two men were shot. A force of marines has been placed under arms, and will assist the police in maintaining order. The strikers wanted contractors to pay \$150 per day.

Secretary Schurz's decision to the effect that Union Pacific railroad lands not sold can be pre-empted by settlers at \$1 25 per acre, will throw open to the public a large amount of valuable land in Nebraska, and there is no doubt it will nearly all be pre-empted. Union Pacific Land Commissioner Leavitt Burnham says that in some counties the company owns land valued as high as \$12 per acre, and that they propose to contest all cases of such pre-emption. The result will be a lively struggle on the part of the Union Pacific, who will be a very heavy loser by this decision.

KEARNEY IN BOSTON.

Dennis Kearney has arrived in Boston and been received by a throng of disaffected laborers. He made a speech from the Sherman House balcony which was a counterpart of those delivered in San Francisco. He boasted of his success in California, and promised to make the workingmen of the Atlantic slope free once more. They tell us that this man Kearney has nothing in him. He preaches, however, and everybody listens. They also applaud. What can be the secret of his success? Can it be such declarations as the following?

Our war is death to monopoly death to debased capital, death to Mongolian slavery, as well as African or any other slavery, and death upon death to political plunderers and bloodsuckers of all parties! I come not here to represent any particular class, faction or ism or creed; no nationality but American. I come here to represent and to meet honest workmen fighting for their rights.

CORRECTION.

We mentioned the other day, in noting another Democratic candidate for State Controller, the strength of our opinion that John B. Williams was the best Democrat in the State for that office. The Enterprise in quoting the GAZETTE said that Mr. Williams was "after the office." This is untrue. Mr. Williams is not what we should call a candidate, nor is he likely to be. We made the notice of Mr. W. solely because we know him as a highly competent and honorable gentleman. The notice was entirely unsolicited and Mr. Williams is not after the office.

Personal.

Mr. E. W. Hayden has returned from Truckee where he was detained seven weeks by the severe illness of his wife. We are glad to chronicle Mrs. Hayden's convalescence as well as Mr. H's return to the town of his choice.

I. T. Hinton, an old companion in arms, and who has been an earnest student for the past six years, has visited Reno for the express purpose of seeing a sagebrush. Mr. Hinton is making of himself a lawyer, and will enjoy success if hard work can win it.

Harry Maynard and Patsy Hogan made an exhibition of themselves in San Francisco. Seven rounds produced the desired head upon Patsy, and he was counted out. The papers say that Patsy's friends were disgusted. They do not say how it was with Patsy. The only fault with prize fighting, as it is now practiced, is found in the fact that fatal results seldom follow it.

This is the latest news on the Eastern question. It comes by way of Zachariah, viii, 23: "Thus saith the Lord of hosts, in those days it shall come to pass that ten men shall take hold out of all languages of the nations, even take hold of the skirt of him that is a Jew, saying: We will go with you for we have heard that God is with you."

An exchange heard a legislator of 1877 make the following remark: "It's all the same as it used to be in Nevada in old times. All a legislator has to do is to break his pledges to the people to please the millionaires and he gets his reward." We are inclined to believe that it is necessary to displease the millionaires in order to serve the people.

Several undoubted candidates are just now hanging back in the traces. They are backward in coming forward because they do not know which office they want. Most of them have two in view, and these sing from the Beggar's Opera:

"How happy could I be with either. Were I other ear charmer away."

Major Dennis, while admitting that he is "passably honest and respectable," urges that as a reason why he will not run for Congress. The Major says that he is acquainted with those who have heretofore represented us and is convinced of his wisdom in protecting the present state of his virtue and reputation.

Leprosy in New York.

NEW YORK, July 25.—The World says: There are two genuine cases of leprosy at the Charity hospital. One is an ex-member of the Volunteer Fire Department.

It is now said that Governor Bradley and Colonel Garrard are willing to sit down on Jewett Adams if he don't stand in for Broadhorns. Thought the slate took in Adams.

HE FOUND HOW IT WORKED.

An Inquisitive Celestial has His Curiosity Gratified.

Monday afternoon the long and heavy west-bound freight train drew into town and was braked down hard, as there is an eastern down grade. A mild, intelligent-looking Chinaman came out upon the rear platform of the caboose and viewed with respectful curiosity the brake with which he had just seen the brakeman stop the great train. Presently John ventured to touch the mysterious thing, and as it didn't bite him he began examining it with the greatest interest. His almond eye caught sight of the catch on the cog and, with a little experimental kick with his cork sole, whirr she went, the train commenced backing, and John, with his eyes wide open and sticking out, stood rooted with horror. There was a sound of hurried feet, a pause, and the Chinaman was lifted clear off the platform with one furious kick. The brakeman had arrived. When John picked himself up he was pale and limped, and carried one hand behind him, but his features wore a feeble and apologetic grin. He had expected instant execution, and was evidently obliged to the brakeman for having made him pay so little for so much knowledge. When the train pulled out John was sitting on the platform, still sheepishly grinning.

Yellow Fever in the South.

Dates of July 27th give the following particulars of this dread visitant:

The bark Morena from Matanzas has put in to Fernandina, Florida, with yellow fever on board. The second mate and one seaman are dead, with the mate and three seamen sick.

At Shreveport, Louisiana, railroad and stage routes from infected cities have been quarantined.

The city and county authorities of Mobile, Alabama, have established a rigid quarantine against New Orleans. Only the United States mail car will be allowed to pass through the county, or approach the city, until further notice.

New Orleans boats are quarantined at President's island, twelve miles below Memphis, on account of yellow fever in that city.

The Board of Health of Galveston, Texas, have passed a resolution quarantining vessels from all eastern and foreign Gulf ports for twenty days, the quarantine to include passengers and freights.

A Diabolical Plot.

There is a secret movement among the married men of Reno to swoop down upon Messrs. Grey & Isaacs some dark night and hang them to their own awning. The ground for this diabolical plot is the utter impossibility of any lady keeping away from their establishment and spending her money for the lovely fancy goods and exquisite dry goods and things. If we were a woman, which unhappily we are not, we should have some of those pretty things or poison our husband in the attempt.

Had He a Strawberry Mark.

Monday C. E. Mann, son of Uncle Billy Mann, of Carson, and nephew to Major S. A. Mann, Deputy Clerk of this county, arrived in Carson from the East. Mr. Mann is thirty-five years of age, and has not seen his father for twenty-seven years. When Major Mann was Governor of Utah Territory, he met Uncle Bill several times without recognizing him, and only for Dave Magee, who at that time lived in Mormondom, seeing the portrait of Uncle Billy, would not have known of his existence or recognized the relationship.

The Coast Survey.

Thomas P. Burns of the Coast Survey is in town, stopping at the Lake house. He is awaiting the arrival of Professor Win. Einbeck, now in the vicinity of Austin, who will be here about August 15th, and will then proceed with his party to the Virginia mountains. The object of the survey is purely scientific, ascertaining the height of mountains, establishing stations, etc. Mr. Burns has with him a large number of instruments, and Professor Einbeck will bring many more.

Bullion Shipment.

Five bars of Jones & Kinkead bullion were brought up from the Auburn mill last Monday and shipped below. Also one bar of Sunrise bullion. Two of the Jones & Kinkead bars were 900 fine and the others 850 fine. Each bar was valued at \$1000. The Sunrise bar was valued at \$1200. It was expected that three more bars of Jones & Kinkead would have been brought up but they were not quite ready.

A Sequestered Nook.

The Justice's court-room is a good place to go if you are in search of peace and quietness. There is nobody there because there isn't any business to be done and there hasn't been for weeks. The hot weather makes people too lazy to fight or shoot or go to law about their business differences.

50 Cts. Per Week.

All classes of legitimate advertisements not exceeding six lines inserted in this column for 50 Cents per week.
Nothing inserted for less than 50 Cents.
To find out the number of lines an advertisement will make, reckon five words for the first line, and seven words for each subsequent line. Fractions of lines charged as full lines.

Cheap Shingles.

J. P. FOULES WILL DELIVER THE best quality of pine shingles in Reno at \$2 50 per thousand by the car-load. Smaller quantities at \$2 75 per M.

"Good as Gold."

THE BED BUG MUST GO! I WILL GIVE him no quarter. Brummer's Infusible will clear him out. I have it for sale in quantities to suit. Choose ye—Bed bugs or no bed bugs? Brummer's is reliable and as good as gold. Jy 31 im A. H. BARNES, Agent.

Lost.

ON GOLD CUFF BUTTON WAS LOST last night, between North Center street and the Methodist Church. The finder will greatly oblige by leaving it at this office. 22-1w

Instrumental Music.

BY PROFESSOR OLE LARSON, SR., one of the best violinists in the State. Orders left at C. J. Brookins'. 7-15-1f.

To Rent.

HOUSE ON WEST STREET, 5 ROOMS. ample grounds. Apply immediately at this office. 7-9-1f.

Sewing Machine.

I HAVE FOR SALE A GOOD SINGER Sewing Machine. Price only \$30. Wm. PINNINGER, Reno Drug Store. 7-3-1w.

For Sale.

A NO 2 RUCKEYE MOWER—SECOND hand—Cheap for Cash. Apply to J. L. McFARLIN. jyl-1

To Old Bachelors.

FOR SIDA, A COMPLETE SET OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, consisting of Bed room sets, Carpets, Stoves, etc. As the parties are about to leave town the whole will be sold for \$100 cash. Apply at this office. 6-29-1f.

Warning.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE THAT R. L. Caldwell is not now nor never will be in my employ again. All parties are warned not to trust him on my account. Reno, June 30. STEPHEN CONNER. (11w wky fm)

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

For Sheriff.

JOHN WILSON HERREY ANNOUNCES himself as a candidate for Sheriff of Washoe county, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

For Sheriff.

ISAAC CHAMBERLAIN HERREY ANNOUNCES himself as a candidate for Sheriff of Washoe county, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

For Sheriff.

J. P. WINFREY HERREY ANNOUNCES himself as a candidate for Sheriff of Washoe county, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

For Road Supervisor.

A. (Red Horse) THOMPSON ANNOUNCES himself as a candidate for Road Supervisor of Reno Township, subject to the decision of the Reno delegation to the Republican County Convention.

For Constable.

SAM FANNON ANNOUNCES HIMSELF as a candidate for Constable of Reno Township, subject to the decision of the Reno delegation in the Republican County Convention.

County Clerk.

J. S. BOWKER ANNOUNCES HIMSELF as a candidate for County Clerk, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

For Sheriff.

GEO. H. FOGG IS A CANDIDATE FOR the office of Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

For County Clerk.

MARK PARISH ANNOUNCES HIMSELF as a candidate for County Clerk of Washoe county, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

For Assessor.

A. A. EVANS ANNOUNCES HIMSELF as a candidate for Assessor of Washoe county, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

For Sheriff.

J. O. GREGORY HERREY ANNOUNCES himself as a candidate for Sheriff of Washoe county, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

For Justice of the Peace.

JNO. S. GILSON HERREY ANNOUNCES himself as a candidate for Justice of the Peace of Reno township.

For District Attorney.

CHARLES QUEEN HERREY ANNOUNCES himself as a candidate for District Attorney of Washoe county, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

FREIGHT AND PASSENGERS.

A. J. BUNTING HAS STOCKED THE road between this place and Susanville with THREE SIX-HORSE TEAMS, and will run weekly, until further notice, as follows:

I will leave Golden Eagle Hotel, Reno, on FRIDAY MORNING, at 7 o'clock, arriving at Susanville on Saturday evening at 6 o'clock, thus making the trip in two days and in daylight travel.

RATES OF FARE AND FREIGHT.

Fare through to Susanville, . . . \$5
Freight—Under 200 lbs., 2 cts per lb.; over 200 lbs., 1½¢ per cts, depending on the bulk.

All freight carried on this line must be marked "B. F. F." and if from San Francisco or Sacramento, shipped in care of Earl & Co., Reno.

All orders or business given to me will receive promptly my personal attention.

LOTS FOR SALE.

ELIGIBLE BUILDING LOTS FOR SALE in Marsh's south addition to the town of Reno. Purchasers can secure bargains to upon easy terms. For particulars apply to B. F. BACON, Office C. A. Bragg & C 6-17-1m.

RENO WEEKLY GAZETTE.

LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Cheek Coppered.

Colonel Garrard, who trundles the Bradley baby carriage, came down to Reno to fix up things with the Democratic county central committee in the interest of his gubernatorial infant, departed yesterday with a Washoe summer bug in his ear. Even if a Washoe happens to be a Democrat he likes to hang on to his rights, and the attempt to take out of the hands of the rank and file of the party the power of choosing the delegates to the State convention proved a miserable failure. The Colonel must have felt considerably cast down, for he has the strongest kind of backing, not only terrestrial but supermundane. It is well known that the corpulent ghost of General Winfield Scott hangs around the Colonel's office and gives him points on Nevada politics, in which, it is notorious, the hero of Lundy's Lane was morbidly interested. Governor Bradley, in the person of Colonel Garrard, may as well remain away from Washoe if the visits are to be devoted to intermeddling. Both gentlemen have many friends here, but the Democrats in this region feel themselves capable of preparing their own political hash.

The Carson Fair.

W. R. Chamberlain was up at Carson last Friday on a mission to the heathen of that unhappy land. He pointed out to the inhabitants that all the fast horses of the coast don't revolve around the village that keeps Deacon Parkinson out of harm's way, that if the Carsonites want the stock men of California to bring their races up to Nevada, Carson will have to be accommodating. The races begin at San Jose on the same day as the Carson fair, and as our fair opens a week after that the horsemen won't be able to get around to Carson. Carson will therefore, if it has any sense, postpone its fair till a few days after ours and then it can have some races. There is no use being pig-headed about it. If Carson wants a fair that is anything like a fair it must be accommodating, and not get into its small head that all the rest of the world must stand from under when it appears.

Tiffany's Ten Strike.

Last Friday Wm. Tiffany, accompanied by his attorney, Judge Marshall, and the representatives of the ditch company, accompanied by Judge Gilson, viewed the ground from which Tiffany a few days ago drove the Chinamen who were digging the ditch. Mr. Tiffany's place is two miles above Verdi. It was on that date proved to his satisfaction that the land through which the ditch is being run does not belong to him and he retired from the field. He was arrested for charging the Chinamen with a shotgun. The case has been dismissed. When the dispute first arose the ditch company offered Tiffany \$25 for his permission to run their ditch through what they supposed to be his land. He laughed at the offer. The gentleman is now not only out that much, but about \$50 for attorney's fees besides.

Square Business.

Gold Hill News: The RENO GAZETTE talketh turkey after the following style: "If any man desires to run for office this fall the eminently just and proper thing for him to do is in the way of a public announcement. If you do not fear the public, let them know it. If you do not care to have your record discussed, maintain your privacy because you do not deserve office." The News is inclined to agree with the views of the GAZETTE in this matter. If you are worthy of your aspirations, that is to say, good for anything, trot yourself out before the public. Set forth your aspirations and expectations in some respectable newspaper like the NEWS or GAZETTE, expending a little old \$20 or less by way of helping the printer, and then if you do not get the office you seek, it will not be your fault. Go for it right, and stand in or stand out.

About Beer.

Some people object to Beer these warm days, but those who don't approve of Beer are generally those who never drank Beer.

That's the way the compositor set it up and when an explanation was demanded he said that the man who wouldn't spell beer with a capital had no notion of the relative importance of things. For his part he wasn't one of those who had such a respect for wealth as to give capitals to money and champagne, but when it came to beer, why it was BEER, and he'd throw up his situation rather than go back on a friend. As we go to press he is snoring in a neighboring saloon.

And Another.

John Wilson, of the firm of Hammond & Wilson, to-day announces himself as a Republican candidate for Sheriff. Mr. Wilson has lived in Reno for several years and is reckoned gamon her loyal citizens.

IGNORANCE

Laddled out to Those in Search of Knowledge.

Jane—Your black bombazine may be turned or cut over. Put a gusset in the back and a box pleat at each end. You were right to chide Adolphus; he had no right to call your mother a liar; such words are too severe; however, the course of true love never runs smooth.

Candidate—No, no; the short bit system will invariably bring you into disgrace. A mortgage on your house will ease matters for a while. Ten dollars a year in advance.

Elizabeth—Mr. Beecher will be here about August 19th. You should not call your husband a brute if you can help it.

Priscilla—Freckles are more promptly removed by the use of a pickaxe. You cannot marry before you are sixteen.

Rancher—We publish the market report every week; \$2 50 a year is our price in advance.

Agnes—The Second Adventists believe that the world will soon end. Brunettes should wear pink or some other suitable color. Willie has no right to reproach you because your shoes are number nine.

Alice—It is better not to touch drink at all.

Dennis—Lick her. No woman should use such language toward her husband.

Democrat—It should not trouble you to make a speech. For a substance skeleton use the expressions "out and out," "dyed in the wool," "for the last twenty-five years."

Anxious Inquirer—Your spiritual drunkenness would disappear by sleeping with a receipt for a year's subscription to the GAZETTE.

DISTRICT COURT.

Divorce, Probate and other Legal Business.

Court was in session last Saturday. In the case of the California Fruit Shipping Association vs. B. B. Norton the demurrer to the complaint was confessed by plaintiff, and plaintiff was given five days in which to amend the complaint.

Olive C Cole was granted a divorce from William H. L. Cole, on the ground of desertion, the summons having been duly served by publication, and the time for answering the same having expired, the default of the defendant was entered. The proofs of neglect and desertion offered were certainly ample. The lady was left without the bare necessities in childhood over a year ago, and has since maintained herself and child by honest work. The husband is loafing around California somewhere.

In the matter of the estate of Elias E. Leek, who recently died at the Depot hotel, it was ordered on the petition of Henry A. Clawson, that the will of the deceased be admitted to probate and that Mr. Clawson be appointed executor. The estate is valued at about \$5,000 and consists chiefly of real estate in San Francisco and bank stock. Mr. Clawson is the sole devisee.

In the matter of the estate of M. V. Gilbert, an order of distribution to Ferdinand Reis, the assignee for the heirs, was made.

Court adjourned for the term.

That New Paper.

Considerable talk has been indulged in recently in regard to a new paper in Reno. Mr. Parkinson announced that it was a settled fact, but we have not yet learned that it is a probability. Mr. Barney, late of the Independent at Cherry Creek, is mentioned in connection with the enterprise, but we understand that he meets with very little encouragement. We have no desire to discourage the new venture, and should another metropolitan journal be born in Reno we will welcome it. The more the merrier.

Fiendish Revenge.

A young male person residing in this town has become possessed of a banjo and has for some fancied wrongs taken a deadly hatred to the inhabitants of Reno. He was abroad upon the quiet streets with his infernal machine last night. If Carson were not so mean she might lend us her 601 for an hour or two. But no courtesies may be expected from that village and we shall certainly be put to the trouble of manufacturing one of our own.

Mr. Bailey's Prolonged Absence.

W. S. Bailey, of the Meat Shipping Association, several weeks ago left for John Day valley, where on July 1st 4000 head of beef cattle were to be ready for his inspection. Mr. Bailey hasn't been heard from since. It is supposed that the stock men, fearful of the Indians, have not driven their cattle into the valley, and that Mr. Bailey is waiting until they do.

For Sheriff.

J. P. Winfrey announces himself as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Democratic county convention. Mr. Winfrey is a farmer and well known to the citizens of this community.

DRAINING THE RIVER.

Some of the Big Ditches that will Empty the Truckee.

The ditch-digging industry is very active at present, and it seems likely that before very long there won't be enough water left in the Truckee to wet the rocks. Among the most important ditch enterprises now in progress, the Pacific ditch of J. P. Foulkes, of Verdi, and H. W. Hobert, of Truckee. It starts about four miles above Verdi, and will, when completed, be seven miles long. The ditch will be finished in two or three weeks, and will carry 1000 inches. The water will reclaim a large flat of about 1000 acres below Verdi. The town of Verdi will also be supplied with water for fire and ordinary purposes. Mr. Foulkes has connected iron pipes with reservoirs at the ditch, and with a hose is able to throw a stream over his house.

The Sierra valley and Truckee ditch, owned by a Virginia City company, has about 75 men digging. A. F. McKay superintends the work. The ditch taps the Webber fork of the Truckee about seven miles below the lake, near old Grizzly Davis' station in Sardinia valley. Two miles of the ditch have been dug. Soon a natural channel will be struck in a ravine running into Sierra valley. The entire length will be some 14 miles, and the water will be used to reclaim about 50,000 acres of sagebrush lands. About 5000 inches will be used. The Steamboat and Truckee Irrigation and Canal Company tap the river near the State line and have already finished two miles of their ditch. The force of Chinese laborers will shortly be largely increased, and it is expected that nine miles of ditch will be completed by September 1st. The ditch will carry 5000 inches, for irrigating purposes.

James Mayberry is constructing a ditch beginning three miles below Verdi, and bringing the water to his place, six miles above here.

Mr. Marlette, who has a ditch running from Marlette lake to Lake View, is now surveying the route for a ditch from the latter to Silver City. He has an idea of drawing part of the water from some tributary of the Truckee.

Other ditch projects will, of course, be carried out as long as the river will stand it. On the east and south, the tributaries to the Truckee are Wickes, Deer, Hunter's and Bell's creeks, and on the west and north, Dog, Little Truckee, Prosser and Donner creeks, and the little creek that runs through Squaw valley. Most of these streams are now tapped by ditches. There is sure to be a row. The Truckee can not bear this drain, and those having mill rights and land under cultivation along its banks will naturally kick at seeing the main source of their prosperity being drawn away from them. There will, in all probability, be a full crop of lawsuits before very long. It is already promised that a landowner at the point of commencement of the Sierra valley and Truckee ditch will, when it is completed, enjoin the owners from tapping the river. The destruction of the forests in the mountains will also, without doubt, have a serious influence upon the Truckee. It will not only affect the rainfalls, but the snow, unprotected by the trees, will melt rapidly and give us at one season of the year a torrent, and at another a nearly empty river. The drain of the ditches will aid the emptying process fearfully. Colonel Von Schmidt may make trouble with his dam, too, if the ditch companies run afoul of his good nature. He could dry them all up by shutting down his sluices. Plainly, there is going to be a merry time of it.

MEAT SHIPPING.

An Abundant Hay Crop Promises to Increase Reno's Cattle Trade.

During the coming winter we look for a very large increase in the business of the California Fruit and Meat Shipping Company, whose principal depot and place of business is located at Reno. Mr. W. S. Bailey, one of the largest owners, and a man of first-class reputation in business circles, is now in Oregon. He will purchase 4000 head of cattle for the company's use during the coming winter. From a citizen who lately visited the northern country, we learn that the number of cattle brought to this point for shipment promises to exceed the record for any former year. The reason for this promised increase is found in the excellent hay crop of the present year, and the probability that prices for loose hay will be correspondingly lower. This will induce cattle men to fatten here instead of farther north. Concerning the profitable nature of the meat shipping industry, it is only necessary to say that points still farther east have demonstrated it. Winnemucca and Carlin are now named among the shipping points for dressed meats. Two car loads from Carlin passed Winnemucca on Friday evening. Considering the decreased cost of shipment, and the admitted fact that Reno has shipped in this way the finest beef ever sold in the San Francisco market, the prospects of the Fruit and Meat shipping Company are certainly very bright.

TOUGH TRUCKEE.

How Prominent Lawyers There Get Even on Poker.

Truckee is just now trembling with excitement over a scrape into which too much toddy or natural foolishness got a prominent lawyer of that place. The lawyer had been invited to deliver the Fourth of July oration at a neighboring town and got the eagle into training and on the morning of the 4th had the bird in his pocket all ready to shriek and flap her wings on the glorious morrow. Unfortunately for the orator, a fondness for poker is one of the weak joints in his moral armor, and as he had a whole day to spare before taking the train to the town to which he had been invited, he sat down to a little game of draw about 8 o'clock A. M., and at the hour of 7 o'clock P. M. arose without even the price of a bean in his possession. Money he must have to get to his oratorical stamping ground, and to raise it he took the extraordinary method of reaching across the table and grabbing up seven golden twenties and a handful of silver from the pile of his lucky opponent. Then he bolted out of the back door, shot around to the hotel where he was stopping, and laid low till the train came along. Next day the oration was delivered and the enterprising lawyer returned to Truckee where he was at once arrested on a charge of grand larceny. Last week he had a preliminary examination and was held to answer before the grand jury. He claimed that the money was his own, and was in the pot. A number of prominent citizens, however, who had been watching the game through a knot-hole in a partition, went dead against the lawyer. The legal gentleman has heretofore stood high in the community, and his name is known over all the coast. The GAZETTE will not, therefore, mention it until further information is received, for it seems incredible that a man of intelligence and position should have made such an idiot of himself as to steal such a small sum in such an open way.

The Eclipse.

A good free entertainment has been furnished the citizens of Reno this afternoon by the eclipse of the sun. The doors were opened about half-past 1, and the spectators were furnished with a bit of smoked glass at the door, and hurt their necks looking up at the show for the two hours or so during which it lasted at those points in the country where the eclipse was total. This is the fourth return of the total eclipse of June 16, 1806, and the line of the central eclipse runs from northwest to southeast across the western portion of the United States. The main point of observation was at Rawlins, Wyoming Territory. The principal object of the scientists will be to ascertain the composition of the Corona. The eclipse was a success, and the business manager of the GAZETTE asserts, with a contempt for contradiction, that while the sun was almost wholly obscured the following interesting legend could be seen shining through the black moon—"GAZETTE, ten dollars a year, invariably in advance."

Joe Whitehead's Spuds.

A sack of infant potatoes were received by the editor of the GAZETTE to-day from Joe Whitehead, of Hard Scrabble ranch. Accompanying the spuds was the following appropriate note: "These we bring as an offering to genius, to talent and learning. Oh bold exponent of the people's rights, thou terror to fraud, and the Working-man's friend." Joe ought to bring some of his ordinary sized tubers down to town. Every one of them is considerably larger than Mr. Burchard, business manager of this paper, and they have to be lowered down from the trees with a block and tackle. If a few of them were rigged up with wheels they might be transported easily enough, or when the Truckee is high, room enough for a man to sit in might be cut out and the murphies paddled up stream at small cost.

For Sheriff.

Another Republican candidate for Sheriff announces himself to-day in the Person of Isaac Chamberlain. Mr. Chamberlain has been deputy under Mr. Lamb during his term of office, but promptly resigned that position as soon as he became certain of his own candidacy. Mr. C. has borne a good reputation among us, and has many friends.

The Canary Bird Concert.

The canary bird concert at the Methodist church Sunday evening was well attended. The children of the Sunday school gave recitations, there was music, both vocal and instrumental. The attendance was large and the entertainment much enjoyed. The canaries rather went back on the managers, only chirping in when they felt like it and apparently not caring a grain of bird seed for the programme or newspaper notices.

The residence of Allen C. Bragg is fast approaching completion.

LOCAL ITEMS.

The District Court will not reopen until September.

Wm. Pinner keeps a large assortment in the drug line.

A. L. Nichols, traveling agent for Huntington, Hopkins & Co., is in town.

Vegetation and mosquitoes thrive well this hot weather, especially about Glendale.

Joe Whitehead is now up to his knees in the fish business, and runs a lively four-horse rig to and from Pyramid lake.

A ledge showing promising silver ore has been discovered in the mountains about 18 miles north of Pyramid lake.

The warm weather has made things jump in the meadows. New potatoes are coming into market several weeks ahead of time.

The rocks are rising farther and farther out of the Truckee. The river will be very low before long.

We don't suppose there is a man in this town who will not, ere long, send the WEEKLY GAZETTE East. Price, \$2 50 per year.

The railroad switches on the side tracks hereabout should be kept locked. It isn't unusual to see an Indian of an inquiring turn of mind fooling with them.

Pat Hogan is the man now of many friends—\$4000 on a single deal in Bodie will make any man feel jubilant. Pat, don't forget your adversity in the days of your friends.

Mr. Gray, of the firm of Gray & Isaacs, has let the contract for the construction of a large and elegant residence on the south side of the river, about one mile below town.

The provident citizen pays for no beer at this season. He no longer says to his friend "Let's go and take a drink," but he rather exclaims when a third: "Let's go out and hunt a candidate."

Weil Bros. will to-morrow close out their cloak house. Weil Bros. have obtained their goods direct from the manufacturers from Cleveland, O. In October next one of the firm will return and open a store.

Notwithstanding the oppressive heat of the past two weeks, the health of the town has not been sensibly affected by it. The cold nights give people a chance to get up their strength for the next day's roasting.

Mr. B. R. Norton is fast recovering, and as soon as he can travel about will go to Webber lake, near Truckee. This will be received as good news, for it was at one time feared that Mr. Norton would soon lie beneath the sod.

The second Adventist tent is still standing back of the GAZETTE office, and when it is lighted up at night and preaching is going on, the small boy and visiting rancher continue to be sold on the fat woman and anaconda proposition.

Harry Bernard, carriage and wagon manufacturer and a prominent turfman, is in town. He has been looking at our fair, and may be expected to put in an appearance at our forthcoming one.

A leading Democratic citizen was seen taking a bath in the Truckee last evening. A large crowd gathered on both banks of the river to observe the curious sight. For political reasons the name is withheld.

There is a movement on foot among the gayer, more thoughtless members of the Episcopal church to give an entertainment shortly. It is proposed that a dramatic performance shall be one of the features with social fixings as a wind-up.

Now is the time to lay in your cheap shingles. J. P. Foulkes advertises in to-day's GAZETTE that he will deliver the best quality of fine shingles in Reno at \$2 50 per thousand by the carload. Smaller quantities \$2 75 per thousand.

A fatal accident occurred on Commercial Row this morning. A hen escaped from a poultryman's cage and ran under the feet of a horse hitched to a wagon. The horse gave a vicious kick and deprived the fowl of its head. It is a good way to kill chickens.

Reno is disgraced by some mean fellows who make a practice of stealing newspapers from the hotels, restaurants and saloons. Such petty dishonesty is something that no man with a spark of self respect would be guilty of.

Messrs. H. A. Waldo & Co. have leased the old Wm. Tell house, on Sierra street, and are now busily engaged in moving in the press and material of the Crescent. The new paper will be called the Daily Record and will be smaller in size than either of the present dailies.

The flies are becoming a desperate nuisance. They are so thick in the saloons that one Christian gentleman keeping one of these establishments has provided his grateful patrons with wooden covers for their goblets. The man who has swallowed four or five tough old buzzers in a glass of beer knows how it affects him.

D. E. McCarthy, of the Virginia Evening Chronicle, J. H. Graham, the handsomest attorney on the Comstock and Wells Drury, of the Gold Hill News, all arrived in Reno on Saturday evening. The first two gentlemen left the same night for a little trip to Boca, but Mr. Drury remained till morning, attended early mass, and then returned to Slippery Gulch.

There's balm in Gilead and other fine preparations at Wm. Pinner's.

Mrs. R. P. Chapin goes East very soon on a visit to the "Old Folks at home."

Wm. Coppersmith, of Surprise, valley, is informed that his WEEKLY GAZETTE is mailed regularly.

Talk about the grasshoppers ravages, how do they compare with the sudden descent of the migratory candidate upon the unwary voter.

The Good Templars of Reno, Virginia and Carson will have a grand anti-Budweiser excursion to the Bowlers' Mansion on August 24th.

The ladies who were awarded Vick's premium at our last fair have not received them yet and would like very much to know why.

The man who says the Indian can not be civilized has never seen a Reno Pute trying to induce a Chinaman to wash his once white shirt on tick.

We understand that Mr. J. P. Gray has purchased forty acres of land near town and will build a handsome residence thereon at an early day.

The Democratic county central committee will meet again on August 17th to appoint the day for the primaries and set the date for the county convention.

The occasional Renoit who so far forgets himself as to visit Virginia reports that that town is dull to death. There is next to nothing doing in any branch of business.

Get your beer this hot weather from the Crystal Peak Brewery. Read the advertisement and then buy it at wholesale or retail from J. J. Becker, agent.

Patients for the Hospital.

"Durn this railroad," complained a tramp this afternoon lying at full length in the shade of the freight depot.

"What fur?" inquired his extended "pard."

"She's killed Nevada, that's all. Why, afore this here blasted road was built a poor tramp could go to a hotel an' git a square, but now a feller's got to rustle round the private houses an' he's in big luck if he gits some cold chuck. Why, they even arrest a feller in some towns along the road fur scooping in a box-car fur a dose."

"It's gittin' down to cases, sure," whined the pard.

"Durn sich a free country. The first thing you know a feller will have to git down to work or starve. I'm sourin' on the country, I am. I'm losin' flesh on this tough rustle fur cold chuck, an' if you hear me I'm goin' to scratch fur three or four months in the county hospital. I am. Good grub an' no work. What d'ye say?"

"I'm in on the racket. Lyin' in bed all day with nothin to do but groan when the sawbones heaves into bed is too good fur me."

Then both the tramps chuckled and spoke the particulars in whispers.

Attorney at Law.

S. A. Mann hangs out his shingle in to-day's GAZETTE for a wholesale and retail practice of law. Major Mann is not by any means a new hand at the legal bellows, having been admitted in the State of New York some sixteen years ago. He has practiced in the courts of Illinois, and continuously in Nevada from 1892 until 1894. Major Mann will, in our opinion, prove an able advocate for all who may request his services. Wonder if Mann would not be District Attorney if he could? It becomes our duty to state that announcements cost \$5.

Doctor Your Horses.

James Dyke announces to-day that he will devote his entire attention to the care of horses which may need the attention of a veterinary surgeon. Mr. Dyke has always been very successful in this line, and bears an excellent reputation among horsemen. He can be found at the Hickman ranch, where good pasturage can also be obtained at reasonable rates. Mr. Dyke already has several flyers in his charge and reports favorable progress.

The Citizens Meeting.

In response to a call for a citizens' meeting at the Academy of Music to consider the subject of getting up a list of special premiums and otherwise adding to the attractiveness of the approaching fair, a couple of score of persons gathered. It was not thought advisable to go on with the meeting until a larger number of citizens were got together. A motion to adjourn to Friday evening at the opera-house was carried and after a vote of thanks to Mr. Smith for the use of his hall the meeting adjourned.

Silver Dollars Galore.

The government recently purchased in San Francisco 1,000,000 ounces of fine silver to be coined into silver dollars. This morning 89 bars of the silver went up to the Carson Mint. Previously two shipments of 189 and 150 bars were made. This makes up Carson's share of the million ounces. It is understood that the dollars coined at the capital will be distributed throughout this State.

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LOCAL AFFAIRS.

ON THE BASE RANGE.

Renoite Recently Returned Gives Some Items.

A Renoite, just returned from Eureka, reports things as lively over at that camp. There are a great many prospectors out in the neighboring mountains. The mines are all prosperous, and considerable money is about in the town. The faro games are running vigorously, and the churches are flourishing. Both the Republican and Democratic parties are anxiously waiting for directions from the patriot of the *Sentinel* before calling their small souls their own. When his bullioniferous voice shall be heard politics will probably become lively. General Connor, like the gentleman that he is, says very little and attends strictly to his business as President of the Eureka Tunnel company, which has very flattering prospects. The General doesn't hanker after the nomination for Governor, but will take it if it is offered, and nearly everybody on the Base Range would be glad to vote for him. The business men are doing pretty well, but hoping to do better this week, which has the honor of possessing the miners' pay-day. Mr. Hagerman hadn't arrived when our informant left, but his visit was anticipated with considerable pleasure and some anxiety. Everybody who was at all interested in politics and hadn't seen Mr. Hagerman, desired that honor. The Democrats who had met the gentleman from Reno before were working for him and preparing for a reception that would do him and themselves credit.

A PRETTY TOWN.

Reno an Oasis in a Barren Sagebrush Desert.

Reno is now one of the pleasantest towns in Nevada. Poplar trees of good size line many of the streets and in the gardens they and the locust and maple flourish. A tree is a bonanza in Nevada, and Reno comes next to Carson in this sort of wealth. The houses built by the citizens show that they intend to stay here, and the town has consequently an air of permanence very unusual with a Nevada settlement. We owe all the beauty of the place to the Truckee. Ditches give us the water that has converted a sage-brush waste into a blooming garden. Nobody but an old Nevada can appreciate the pleasure one feels at seeing something fresh and green, and as Reno is largely made up of old Nevadans, there is an enthusiasm on the subjects of tree-planting and gardening, that will in a very few years make Reno the loveliest town in the State. In the same connection it may be stated that the town's business prospects are excellent, and there is only one two-bit saloon in existence.

Regular Man-Traps.

Mr. Evans should look after his water pipes on Commercial row. In some places the mains have burst and the ground sunk in. Any horse stepping upon these weak places would be almost sure to seriously hurt himself. There is also danger to pedestrians. The other evening a young lady crossing the street near the Depot hotel about dark walked unsuspectingly into the trap, and it required the assistance of a muscular gentleman before she could extricate herself. Besides the fright the young lady was injured to the extent of a pair of open-work stockings—and things.

Fatal Accident.

Monday a fatal accident occurred at Emigrant Gap. A party of Western Union repairers upon a hand-car were run into by a freight train which came along unexpectedly. All managed to jump off in time to save themselves except a young man named R. Yerington, who was very badly hurt. For a short time some hope of his recovery was entertained, but yesterday he died. Superintendent Bell at once set out to attend to the burial of the remains.

Disgusted Tramps.

The white "whistling posts" half a mile outside of Reno, each way on the track, are written all over with the unfavorable impressions which tramps have formed of the town. The inscriptions give the information that "There ain't no chuck to be got in the dam town," and that it is best to steer clear of "The worst place this side of Carlin, boys." Some of the writings are very profane.

Look Out for Your Stumps.

Throw your stumps into the street. The sidewalks are dry as tinder and a spark would set them aflame. Besides, it is somewhat embarrassing for a tramp to pick up the stumps from the sidewalk where everybody sees him, whereas it is as easy as dropping a lat to grab a puff in the roadway.

MURDERED IN PRISON.

A Cold-Blooded Assassination in the Carson Penitentiary.

The Carson *Appeal* of the 30th gives the following account of an atrocious murder committed in the State prison: Yesterday afternoon about 4 o'clock William H. Bethards, was stabbed to death by another prisoner named Thomas Flynn. The circumstances are in substance as follows: The prisoners had been marched to one of the officers, had been punished. Bethards was on the sick list. Captain Gonnard of the guard, while standing near the shoe shop heard a cry of alarm. Running toward the dining-room he met a great crowd of the prisoners who cried out that Flynn was murdering Bethards. Just as Gonnard got to the struggling men, Flynn was standing over Bethards stabbing him. The weapon was a carving knife with a blade eleven inches in length. Bethards lived a few minutes after the stabbing but uttered no word. Flynn was disarmed and placed in the dungeon. This seems to have been nothing else than a bitter, malignant murder. There is said to have been an old grudge entertained by Flynn for Bethards consequent upon Bethards causing his arrest for prison breaking. At all events the murder was cowardly, deliberate and cruel. Bethards was committed to the prison in July, 1873, upon conviction of homicide in the District Court for White Pine county. He received a sentence of fifteen years for murder in the second degree. Flynn is an old offender and an exceptionally bad man. He is now resting under no less than five commitments aggregating in terms as many as twenty-seven years. He stands convicted of grand larceny, attempt to commit robbery, burglary and two charges of prison breaking. He is a native of Ireland and was sent to the penitentiary from White Pine county.

A Cloudburst.

On the 26th a cloudburst between Hot Springs and Brown's station washed away a good bit of the track, and delayed the arrival of the passenger train about two hours. The burst occurred at the same point where three years ago a culvert was washed away and a train derailed, instantly killing two engineers and hurting two brakemen so badly that one of them afterwards died in hospital. There is a close ravine at the point, and the water comes down in an irresistible torrent.

Reckless Sensationalism.

Reckless sensationalism in journalism is no longer looked upon with approval, and we are pained to perceive that our morning contemporary is injuring itself by its feverish efforts to needlessly excite the public mind. No man of family can consistently give his support to a newspaper which publishes such emotional stuff as the following, which appeared in the *Journal* of a recent date: "July 31st—how time flies."

Tired of Town.

A pleasure party, consisting mainly of married people, (a small infusion of youthful spinsters and modest bachelors allowed) will, in a day or two, start by wagon for Webber and Independence lakes. They will camp out, will these lucky ones, and fish and slaughter doves and drink punch and beer by the evening camp-fire, and sing and be happy.

Sunday School Picnic.

The Episcopal church Sunday school had a picnic Wednesday at Wellman's island. The merry crowd of youngsters and oldsters left town at 8 o'clock in the morning. The children and young ladies have been swinging the boys have been bathing in the river and all hands will return this evening flushed with lunch and lemonade.

A Worthy Man Insulted.

The San Francisco newspapers always did take an impertinent interest in Nevada affairs, but this from the *Stock Exchange* calls for a personal rejoinder from Deacon Parkinson: "The chaste city of Carson, in the virtuous State of Nevada, is troubled by a nuisance of new pattern—rats. Hitherto the snakes have had the monopoly."

Republican County Committee.

The Republican County Central Committee will meet at the courthouse on Monday, August 19th, at 1 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of transacting important business bearing upon the campaign.

The Forest Fire.

The fire over in White's canyon seems to have exhausted itself as very little smoke is arising to day. Last evening the smoke stretched for miles along the hills to the south and east of town.

Gone West.

Superintendent Brank Bell, of the Western Union Telegraph Company, has gone west. He will be away about a week, inspecting the lines.

It has been practically decided to extend the registry system to third-class mail matter. The change will go into effect about October 1st.

PROF. THOS. A. EDISON.

Interview with the Genius of the Age—What he has been Doing—Some of His Future Plans—Electricity to be Used in Discovering the Size and Croppings of a Mineral Lode.

Accompanying every misfortune there may be found an attendant advantage. The railroad accident which occurred near Mystic this week delayed all the west-bound trains ten to fifteen hours, and the westward overland, among other trains, stopped during this time at Reno. By this means your reporter had the honor and pleasure of meeting the wonderful genius, Prof. Thos. A. Edison, a man known to every reader of newspapers in the land, and one the fame of whose inventions has reached the eastern continent.

We found Mr. Edison sitting on a camp stool on the car platform, resting his head on his hands and the iron railing. He rose, gave us his large hand in a hearty shake, quietly perceived his doom and with much pleasure gave us the subjoined interesting information. First, however, let us speak further of his

PERSONAL APPEARANCE.

He is about five feet eight inches in height, weighs some 160 pounds, is clean shaven, wears a Scotch-tweed suit, black felt hat, and in his general personal appearance does not strike one as more than an ordinary man. His mild blue eyes light up in conversation, and yet he is not excitable, but, we would say, is a man of much reflection, quick perception and remarkably accurate in thought. He is traveling in company with Prof. Barker, of the University of Pennsylvania, who has just made some spectroscopic observations at Rawlins, Wyoming Territory. In reference to the failure of

MR. EDISON'S TASI-METER.

at Rawlins, the point of observation of the sun's total eclipse which was so carefully noted by Profs. Young, Barber and Edison, with a few other scientific gentlemen, the following is a sufficient explanation. The tasi-meter is a very delicate instrument for measuring heat, and is far more so sensitive to the slightest heat than is the thermometer. The difficulty, as the reader may already infer in measuring the amount of heat thrown off from the sun's corona was, that the tasi-meter proved too sensitive, while Prof. Young did not thoroughly understand the instrument; therefore, when the tasi-meter was placed in position the index noted the excessive delicacy of the instrument, and the heat could not in this experiment be measured. Mr. Edison, however, made one satisfactory test and obtained a good measurement.

The reader, no doubt, is more or less familiar with the Edison telephone and phonograph. Many have read a full description of both instruments in Scribner's April number, also articles in the papers of both inventions. We will, therefore, not describe these wonderful devices, but call to your mind a point in reference to the photograph which has not met our eye and which seemed to be a most gratifying feature in the unique operation of this wonderful device for the reproduction of sound. By turning the handle of the phonograph cylinder very slowly, the bass of the song which has been previously photographed will be given. On turning faster and faster, one has in corresponding succession, fiasco, soprano, tenor flute, cornet, piccolo and the whistle. One hymn, the *Marseilles*, we believe, when produced from the organ and reversed by the phonograph, gives forth music which has been pronounced far sweeter than the original song.

IMPORTANT TO MINING MEN.

The Professor has a hypothesis which, in one instance, in the case of an iron mine proved correct; that the size, character and point of croppings of a mineral lode may be determined by the difference of the conductivity of electricity, provided that the walls of the ledges are lined with clay or decomposed country rock. He believes that he can test his theory, as we may more properly term it, on the Comstock, and will do so on his return from California. Should this theory prove true on further application, it will be of incalculable advantage in mining. Instead of running long tunnels, sinking deep shafts or boring here and there with the diamond drill, he would apply his electrical apparatus, and by the difference in the conductivity of the ore body and its walls, etc., he presumes that he can tell how much ore there is in a mine, where it lies, its direction, and the point where its croppings may be looked for. If Mr. Edison, even in a few mines and only by approximation, can determine some of the points above indicated, he will be able to contribute a vast assistance and an immense saving to those who are prospecting mines.

Mr. Edison goes direct to San Francisco, and from there will go to the Yosemite falls, in Mariposa county, California. His stay in California will be short, as he intends in about ten days returning to this place, and from here will go to the Comstock. After a short stay in Virginia city he will return to Rawlins, where he intends going on a big hunt.

MINING INTELLIGENCE.

The Mines of Lone, Downeyville, Grantsville and Vicinity—Bullion Shipments and New Discoveries.

Through a Mr. Travers who is just in from Downeyville, we have obtained some interesting notes in regard to the mines of that region. At Downeyville the Downey brothers own four claims, upon each of which they have started shafts. These shafts are respectively 300, 270, 230, and 100 feet in depth. In one of these claims, called the Lizzie, a large body of ore has been encountered, which assays from \$1800 to \$2500 per ton. The ore is of the Galena variety, and is profitably smelted by the process of which the *GAZETTE* gave some information in a previous issue. The Downey brothers shipped to Wadsworth, July 30, five car-loads of crude bullion. All of these shafts, and at depth mentioned, are in the same ore formation, although it varies, of course in richness.

The Raymond mine, at Lone, one of the oldest mines in the district, is now turning out large quantities of bullion. The Alexander mine at Grantsville has still a fine ore body, and runs three mills constantly on its ore. At first the ore was of the free milling variety. It is now changing and bears the same general character as that found in the Downey mines.

The Northern Belle company has found another body of ore some forty feet in width and giving assays of \$35 to \$38 per ton.

The mines of Downeyville and vicinity are twenty miles from the Sunrize, whose principal owners are Reno men. This mine is in Esmeralda county and on the old Reese River road. The same formation prevails throughout that region, and from the discoveries already made we should consider mining property in that region valuable. The districts named promise to become the richest in Nevada.

TRAIN WRECKED.

Special Tea Train No. 7 Collides With the Westbound Emigrant No. 6 Near Mystic—Locomotives and Box-Cars in a Fearful Wreck.

At 5 o'clock Wednesday evening the west-bound emigrant train No. 6, collided with special tea train No. 7, at a point just above Mystic, and some three and a half miles east of Bronco, on the C. P. R. R. No. 6 was drawn by engines 83 and 24, and No. 7 by 199. No. 6 had orders to wait at Mystic for a special train, but when the train arrived at that station the conductor saw a special train on the side track, and presuming that it was No. 7 did not stop his train. The road above the station has many curves, and the engineers of the two trains did not see each other until it was too late to prevent a collision. Onward sped the trains. The engineers, Hutchinson, Geary and Stirling, and their firemen, jumped from their engines, and then came the fearful crash. The locomotives were badly wrecked, and from twelve to fifteen tea cars demolished and thrown over and off the track. Of course several other cars were more or less injured in both trains. Very fortunately, however, no one received any serious injury. As usual, no one person is to blame. The conductor of No. 6 should have waited at Mystic as per orders, but he also should have been informed of the unnumbered special train being in the road.

Humboldt County Crickets.

Through a gentleman who lately returned from Paradise valley and made an inspection of other points in that region, we learn that crickets of great size have invaded the country in swarms. In Clover valley, Humboldt county, the garden crops have been entirely destroyed. The pest has also attacked the grain crops, but coming too late for the wheat much of it has been saved. The barley crop has suffered, however, to a considerable extent. In Paradise valley, where the crops are very large, the crickets are not so numerous or destructive. The Indian scare is at an end in Humboldt and Elko counties. Many of the wandering red-skins have already returned to the reservations, and soon all will be quiet again.

Off for the Lakes.

Mr. J. C. Smith and family, Mr. Morton and family, and Mr. Haines and family, making in all three wagon loads, and one young lady on horseback started for Independence and Webber lakes Wednesday morning. Next Tuesday Mr. H. W. Higgins and family, Pierce Evans and wife and Alvaro Evans will leave for Grizzly valley and the above lakes. About the same time a party from this office will set sail for the same mountain resorts. The weather is too much for those who can get away from its tyranny.

Bank Exchange.

Messrs. H. St. Amant and S. Felton will open the old Bank Exchange saloon next to Hammond & Wilson's stable, next week. Mr. St. Amant was formerly a partner with Circe & Roberts.

A Chance for Eastern Investment.

A gentleman in Newark, New Jersey, writes to the *GAZETTE* a letter full of feverish anxiety about the resources of Western Nevada and the chances for Eastern investment. The *GAZETTE* is always happy to reply to letters of this kind. Quite frequently intending Eastern investors subscribe for the newspaper which gives them valuable information (\$10 a year, invariably in advance.) It has often surprised us that Western enterprise has not drawn the attention of Eastern capital to the wealth to be made in preserving the flowers of the sagebrush. The odor is delightful and would at once become popular if properly preserved. The local editor of the *GAZETTE* will receive eastern capital for this purpose and place it where it will do the most good.

There seems to be a universal intention on the part of the Nevada press to make war upon unjust railroad discrimination in this State. We hope the battle man be won. An exchange, who is even more violent than the rest, says:

Had Senator Jones devoted his energies to a correction of railroad charges, and had he succeeded in reducing the cost of transportation one cent per ton per mile, he would have accomplished ten times more for the people of Nevada than has resulted, or is likely to result from a partial remonetization of silver. This railroad question concerns everybody in Nevada because we are all consumers. But where is Booth, of California, the great anti-railroad apostle? We thought he would tear up all the railroads in the country when he succeeded in humbugging the people of the golden State into electing him to the Senate. Did any one ever hear of Booth opening his mouth on this paramount subject since the day of his election? Not one.

Arm Broken.

A lad named Charley Davis, who resides in Virginia City and has been rusticiating at the Jess brothers' ranch on Truckee Meadows for the past two weeks, met with a severe and painful accident Wednesday. Young Davis was riding after the cows when his horse stumbled and threw his rider to the ground. In recovering, the horse stepped upon the lad's right forearm, breaking both bones. Dr. Bergman gave medical aid to the sufferer, and he was sent home this evening. Davis, although but 14 years of age, had his left arm broken in the same manner some time ago.

Marker's Dukedom.

P. N. Marker one of Washoe's best citizens who is largely interested in ranching on the Big Meadows, says that the grain crops will be light on the lower Humboldt. He will expect at least 1,500 tons of hay, and expects to be able to supply the demand for that article along the railroad to Winnemucca. Mr. Marker has a regular dukedom near Lovelock's and is improving it by large expenditures. When under full cultivation Mr. Marker will be one of the largest land owners in Nevada.

Robbed.

Bob Penman, driver of the Quincy stage, was robbed on Friday last. When near a station this side of Quincy, a masked man appeared in the road with a drawn shot-gun, and requested Robert to tarry, which he did. The robber then requested a transfer of property, which was also granted, and the highwayman was made richer by \$3 50.

A Homicide in Prospect.

A person signing himself "Veritas" sends a communication to this journal attacking the railroad company. It is only two years since we killed and buried "Pro Bono Publico," the half brother of Mr. Veritas. The reporter thirst for human blood is not yet satiated. There will be gore when Veritas is found.

For Treasurer.

D. B. Boyd announces himself to-day as a Republican candidate for county Treasurer. Mr. Boyd is a well known and industrious citizen of Reno. He has been identified with the town in its growth and prosperity, and will find many warm friends to support his candidacy.

A Scared Horse.

M. C. Lake was driving out on South Virginia street last evening about half-past seven o'clock, when the ice cream man and his helper heaved into view. That was a soft thing for the horse, which at once began to prance and kick and finally fell down and broke a shaft.

Pretty High Dust.

About noon to-day a very peculiar sight was to be seen on the mountain, just above Mackey and Fair's camp. A high whirling column of dust arose and swept to the summit with a spiral motion, crossing a bed of snow in its progress.

LOCAL ITEMS.

—R. F. Hoy of Verdi is in town.

—There will be no services at the Congregational Church next Sunday.

—The emigrant cars passing west are not so crowded as they were a while back.

—Mr. Hagerman has returned from his visit to Eureka. He went to Virginia this morning.

—The local editor of the *GAZETTE* has acquired an 18 carat club. The virgin skull is invited to call.

—Tramps are numerous about town. Be particular about the fastenings of doors and windows.

—The weather has moderated a little and the town pauses in its usual work of perspiration and returns thanks.

—The Truckee is very low. The ditches hardly leave water enough in the river to wet the stones.

—John Boyd to-day started for Bodie with six wagons loaded with lumber and drawn by two large teams.

—These warm days the ladies are just ravishing in their cool and pretty muslin suits.

—There are quite a lot of strange loafers in town. Keep your doors and windows locked.

—Don't forget the meeting on Friday night at the opera-house, to discuss fair matters.

—The ladies and gentlemen of the Congregational church will have a social this evening at the residence of L. W. Lee.

—The continued warm weather is causing the prosperous Renoite to sour on business and plan fishing and hunting expeditions Tahoe-ward.

—Justice Richardson has been for the past two days in Virginia city. Hence, no breeze from the seat of justice.

—Reno has few Piutes who are quite civilized. They work when they can get it and go in for clean shirts and good clothes.

—It being reported that the editor of the *Virginia Footlight* was in town today, the saloon men locked up their beer and got out their shotguns.

—The social of the ladies of the Congregational church will be held at the residence of Mrs. L. W. Lee on Friday evening. Everybody invited. Ice cream and cake served.

—E. C. Sessions and Orville Sessions with their families will depart for the region about Sierraville. The gentlemen will visit the mines and the ladies will rusticate.

—H. B. Maxson, U. S. deputy mineral surveyor, has his advertisement in today's *GAZETTE*. Mr. Maxson is a trained civil engineer and stands high in his profession.

—James Sullivan has 700 tons of hay for sale and an abundance of corals and feed boxes. There is plenty of good water and the corals are dry the year round. These privileges are included in the price of the hay—\$7 per ton.

—The local of the *Virginia Chronicle* has been interviewing Miss Kate Lorence. This good lady and last walker unbosomed herself in regard to everything, save only the \$3 which she owes this paper. The young man ought to question the lady more closely.

—A prominent business man of Virginia this morning on Commercial Row expressed unbounded astonishment on learning that the 48-column *WEEKLY GAZETTE* was sold at \$2 50 per year. [Invariably in advance.]

—Messrs Scott and Hitchcock of the Arlington Nursery, R. P. Chapin, proprietor, are over at Austin, receiving orders for trees and vines. The Arlington Nursery is now one of the established institutions of Reno and has a reputation broad as the State.

What Was It?

The force of habit was beautifully illustrated this morning. A stranger with a foreign air drove two bucking horses through one of our principal streets. The horses were attached to a florid wagon with colored hubs and it appeared as though there was some sort of trapeze arrangement in the wagon. The impression immediately found strength that a circus was about to burst upon the town. Small boys took to their heads and reversed ends in the agile somersault. The ladies began to assemble on the streets and Dan Mattox with the rest of the stiff brigade were all engineering for a loan of \$1.

Death at the Hospital.

Three days ago a strange man about thirty-five years of age wandered into the county Hospital. He was apparently suffering from delirium tremens. Every care was taken of him, but last night he died. His name was E. A. Lauderdale. It is supposed that he had been a steamboat steward as he was constantly talking in his delirium of subjects connected with that occupation.

Meeting To-Night.

The citizens of Reno should keep in mind that there is to be a meeting at the opera-house to-night to arrange about a list of special premiums for the approaching fair. No one with the interest of the town at heart will remain away.

A HIDEOUS CRIME.

Frightful Outrage Perpetrated Upon a Beautiful Boston Lady.

NEW YORK, July 29.—The Times to-day adds to the criminal record an account of perhaps the most audacious crime ever perpetrated in this country. It appears that some months since a married lady of Boston, of great refinement and beauty, and occupying a prominent social position, had been visiting friends in the interior of this State, and when leaving took a drawing-room car on the New York Central road for Albany, where her husband awaited her. Two villains followed into the car, probably attracted by the valuable jewelry which she wore, and when the conductor approached the lady for her ticket informed him that they were her friends, that she was deranged, and that they, unfortunately, had been selected to convey her to the Utica asylum. In spite of her protestations and appeals for protection, the scoundrels succeeded in convincing the conductor and passengers of the truth of their story, and removed the lady from the cars at Utica, she swooning as the train moved away. She was then lifted into a coach, chloroformed, taken to a house of ill-fame, outraged, and robbed of her jewelry and clothing. The husband learned of his wife's alleged insanity when the train arrived at Albany, and procuring a special engine, started for Utica without delay. Upon arriving, a few inquiries enabled him to find the disreputable house where his wife had been taken, and there he found her lying upon the bed almost stripped of clothing, and her mind seriously injured by the terrible experience. No names are given, from considerations of delicacy. The husband has made every effort consistent with privacy to discover the fiends, but so far without avail.

Manager McVicker Bankrupt.

CHICAGO, July 30.—J. H. McVicker, for many years proprietor of McVicker's theatre, and well known in the dramatic world, filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy on the 29th. Liabilities, \$950,000. Of this amount half a million is a judgment against him as one of the bondsmen for D. A. Gage, ex-City Treasurer, who defaulted in a large amount to the city in 1874. Of the remainder, \$95,000 is secured by mortgage on McVicker's theatre, and all the rest is variously secured with the exception of two or three thousand dollars. He owes \$30,000 to Mrs. McVicker, and \$35,000 to various Eastern parties. The theatre will be run as heretofore by Mr. McVicker, and all the contracts which have been made with dramatic troupes will be carried out.

The Fenians' Plans.

We are sorry to announce to the public that in consequence of the unexpected termination of the Berlin congress, the invasion of England by the Irish Fenians, and of Canada by the American, has been postponed for six months. By that time the skirmishing fund will be in such a healthy condition as to permit the addition of one ship to the navy, which will increase the maritime force to three snappers of war and one Whitehall boat. This fleet once in seaworthy condition, the consummation of the great project may be considered an accomplished fact. This is official.—S. F. Stock Exchange.

An Indignant Faro Player.

Colonel G—, of Bowling Green, Ky., made a heavy play against a faro bank when fine lunches were set at all the houses, and dumped over \$1000, which completely wove him out. He reluctantly laid aside his "cue-paper" and lead pencil, and called for his cloak and cane. The colored attendant brought the required articles, and while adjusting the cloak politely remarked, "Lunch is just ready, Colonel; won't you stay and have some?" "Lunch!" roared the Colonel, grinding his teeth and taking a firmer grip on his walking-stick. "Do you think I can eat eleven hundred dollars' worth of ham and get even?"—Exchange.

Is Minnie Saved to Us?

The telegraph the other day spoke of the death of Minnie Warren, the talented dwarf, in childbirth and now come particulars of the event. There must be some mistake. Minnie Warren was never married, though at one time reported engaged to Commodore Nutt. Her sister, Lavinia, however, was the wife of Tom Thumb, and from various little incidents at the death bed, it is pretty certain that Lavinia was the unfortunate one.—Sacramento Bee.

The Flower of Nevada.

Gold Hill News: Governor Bradley is on the Comstock "in an active state of unrest," as transcendentalists put it. We passed the old gentleman to-day and heard one of his constituents talking with him. The Governor said: "I hadn't made no fight nowhile yit; 'tar' too hot!"

The New York Tribune says the Union Pacific railroad will issue to-day a circular to the dry goods trade, informing shippers of an increase in rates on first-class merchandise from New York to San Francisco, from six to twelve dollars a hundred.

SAN FRANCISCO NEWS.

Incendiary Fires—The Chinese Embassy—Election of Railroad Officers, Etc.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 31.—Yesterday a number of attempts were made to burn the grain fields in Santa Clara county. Incendiary fires were kindled by slow matches in various places. The intent seemed to be more particularly to burn the labor-saving machinery in the fields. The fires were extinguished before doing much damage.

GREAT FLOOD IN CHINATOWN.

The Joint Committee of the Board of Supervisors, in company with the Health Officer and the Chief of the fire department, made a raid through Chinatown to-day. They saw enough to alarm and disgust them. Fires were found amid the most dangerous surroundings. Crowding to excess developed itself everywhere. Some of the Chinese alleys were found to be practically vast cess-pools. The official noses were offended by nausium, and in a filthy den on Bull Run alley used as a hospital, four wretched lepers were found industriously rolling cigars. Filth abounded everywhere.

THE CHINESE EMBASSY.

On Monday over twenty tons of luggage belonging to the Chinese Embassy were sent East. Among it was all the furniture for fitting up the residence of the Ambassador at Washington. The Embassy will leave San Francisco toward the end of the week. The trip will be made direct to Hartford, where a stay will be made before proceeding to Washington.

DIVERTING RIVER WATER.

The farmers in San Joaquin valley are greatly exercised over the fact that Miller & Lux have turned the water of the river into their King's river canal, lowering the water in the San Joaquin so much that the steamers can no longer reach Hill's ferry, and will soon be unable to go above San Joaquin City. A great quantity of grain will have to wait for the next rains for transportation. Parties have interviewed the United States District Attorney here with the view of obtaining relief, but as the San Joaquin river is under State control he cannot help them.

ELECTION OF RAILROAD OFFICERS.

At the annual election of the Central Pacific Railroad Company yesterday, the following were elected Directors for the ensuing year: Leland Stanford, C. P. Huntington, E. W. Hopkins, E. H. Miller, Jr., Charles F. Crocker, David D. Colton and Charles Crocker.

THE CASE TRIAL.

The Carr trial on the navy pay certificates in the United States Circuit Court came to a quick conclusion. The defense offered no evidence, and after hearing the evidence for the prosecution, including the testimony of Pinney, the Court ordered the jury to find for the defendant.

The Boston "Herald" on the Political Situation.

NEW YORK, July 30.—To-day's Boston Herald says: "Any real issues should be welcomed in political discussions of the country. The issues which divided the old parties exist no longer. If any number of people can stand together on a common platform and tell what they mean and what they want, by all means let them do so. We are obliged to meet all real questions in a Republican government. They cannot be dodged or covered up. You who denounce any kind of cheap labor or labor-saving machinery, as bitter against the reaping machine as against Chinamen, and spend your talent in burning one and abusing the other, rather than working at good wages offered you—all of you who have grievances—come together and formulate them, and let us go before the American voters, ninety-nine hundredths of whom are workmen, and plead our causes. Anything is better than stagnation or war of the old parties over dead issues. We generally see in any new idea some measure of truth which the country needs and welcomes. In any event, full and free discussion is the only means to find out what is true and worth preserving. Welcome, therefore, all real issues, and may the truth prevail."

The Scourge of the South.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., July 31st.—A largely attended meeting of merchants at the Cotton Exchange this morning, at which means were raised to assist the Board of Health in its efforts to prevent the introduction of yellow fever. Not a single case has yet reached the city. The river and railroads are quarantined against New Orleans and Vicksburg. The work of cleaning the city has been commenced, and there seems no possibility of the fever reaching Memphis this year.

A case of yellow fever from New Orleans has appeared in Cincinnati. Quarantine regulations will at once be established for boats from the former city.

NEW ORLEANS, July 31st.—The Board of Health reports thirty-one new cases of yellow fever and five deaths for the twenty-four hours ending at noon to-day.

A fire in East Portland on the 29th destroyed almost an entire block. Loss about \$17,000.

FIRE AT TRUCKEE.

Five of the Finest Residences Burned Last Night.

Quite an extensive fire occurred in Truckee last evening. About half-past 8 o'clock a kerosene lamp exploded in the residence of Pat. Henry on High street, and set the houses on fire. The flames spread rapidly and soon swept to the adjoining buildings, which were among the finest residences of the town. The only means of fighting the fire was with buckets which were handled with energy, but before the conflagration was stayed five houses with their out-buildings lay in ashes. The losses as far as we are able to obtain were as follows: Pat Henry, \$3,500, insured for \$2,000; E. Ellen, from \$1,000 to \$5,000, no insurance; T. C. Plunkett, loss unknown, insurance \$500; F. Burekhalter, from \$5,000 to \$6,000, insured in two companies; Mrs. Lisle, a widow, from \$500 to \$800. The fire spread very rapidly and there was no time to get the furniture out of the burning buildings.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following are the real estate transfers made since the 15th of July up to August 1st:

Robert Jones and Joshua Armstrong to George Scott—Possessory claim to 240 acres in township 23, north range 20 east; consideration \$500.

John H. Dall to Washoe county—Dall's road from Franktown; \$4000.

A. S. Gould to John P. Foulks—360 acres near Verdi; \$135.

Domina Circe to Andrew and Henry Robert—Undivided half of lot 18 and the west nineteenth of lot 19 in block 2, Reno; \$2000.

Simon Hodgdon to Foulks and Roberts—Undivided half of 160 acres near Verdi; \$450.

Lucius Cox to H. W. Roberts—Undivided half of 80 acres near Verdi; \$200.

J. P. Foulks to H. W. Roberts—160 acres near Verdi; 160.

Sitting Bull Wants to Come Home.

NEW YORK, July 31.—The Tribune's Washington correspondent says: Sitting Bull desires to return to the United States, and has made overtures to the Indian office with that end in view. In case he returns, he insists that he shall not be held accountable for any criminality on his part during the Indian wars, and that he shall be allowed to retain the ponies possessed by himself and others (900) of his band. In view of the fact that Sitting Bull has his emissaries in this country endeavoring to induce the Sioux to begin an outbreak, in which he has pledged himself and warriors to take part, the authorities have declined to entertain any proposition looking toward his return. This decision has the sanction of the President and his Cabinet.

The Genoa Bigamist Committed.

Carson Appeal: We learn that the issue of the examination of R. C. Guirado before Justice Edison, at Genoa, resulted in placing the defendant under bonds in the sum of \$5,000 to appear before the Grand Jury for Douglas county, to answer to a charge of bigamy. The prisoner, being unable to furnish the required bail, stands committed. This is a very singular case, and one involving much that is pitiable. The first wife, deceived and misled; the second wife, betrayed and misled; and the young man himself, ruined for life and in imminent danger of the Penitentiary—all these form a group of unfortunates whose condition awakens our heartiest sympathy.

A Smart Heathen.

The chief of the Chinese Embassy is a wag as well as a diplomatist. A well known resident of San Francisco, who called to see him, asked him what he thought of the Chinese immigration. He replied that it was evidently a bad thing, and no doubt the Chinese would have to leave this coast. "How will they get back to China?" the gentleman asked. "Oh! they won't return there," Chun Lan Pin said. "They will go to Ireland, for that seems to be the only country that Irishmen don't rule."—Stock Report.

A Negro Riot in Havana.

NEW YORK, July 31.—Reliable reports from Havana state that a negro riot broke out there on the 23d inst., in the locality known as Los Sitios. The principal cause of dissatisfaction among the blacks seems to have been their confinement in slavery after the liberation of all those who lately surrendered at the collapse of the rebellion. During the disturbance the police had to charge, sword in hand, killing and wounding a great many of the rioters, who then dispersed and fled to the swamps around Atares Castle.

William Hills, of New Orleans, arrived in Cincinnati on Saturday with his family on his way East. Not feeling well he stopped at a hotel. Yesterday he was removed to the hospital, the disease being yellow fever. The Health Officer will soon establish quarantine.

The New Orleans Board of Health reports thirty-one new cases of yellow fever, and five deaths for the 24 hours ending at noon to-day.

Nevada Flouring Mills.

Mr. David Bole superintendent of this company's property, informs us that the mill is running at its full capacity every day. The manufacture of flour and ground feed commanding equal attention. The mill products find ready market in the neighboring towns, and in return the company furnishes a cash market for all grain raised in this section at the fairest market rates. The barley crops from Sierra Valley which has been purchased by this company, will be much smaller this year owing to the grasshopper pest. A large quantity of wheat is expected from Honey Lake Valley, and Mr. Bole speaks of its quality in the highest terms. Mr. Bole thinks that wheat will rate lower than usual this fall, but assures us that the company can and will make cash purchases of all the grain which this region raises at the just market rate. The company has heretofore taken all that was offered and been obliged to ship from below also. We suggest to our farmers that they can keep money and profits at home by supplying this mill. Grain can always be traded for money and there is certainly farming country enough in Nevada to shut out California chicken and horse feed.

An Unfortunate Affair.

Probably one of the most painful affairs which the GAZETTE has ever had to mention occurred this morning as the leading reporter of this journal was walking along Commercial Row. It happened very naturally that the journalist had in his mind matters connected with the approaching campaign. There is Bradley, for instance, and Batterman and Hagerman and Connor. If the government had any sense it would let the contract to Connor to kill off the Indians. The people of Oregon are outraged perpetually by the redskins. Imagine the horror of falling into the hands of the copper-colored devils. Why, cremation would be nothing to it, and it may be remarked that cremation has many forcible arguments in its favor, and the most enlightened of our contemporaries approve of the practice. Had Hannibal declined to receive the advances made to him by the greatest villain of history, it would hardly be necessary to observe in all seriousness that the subscription price of the GAZETTE is \$10 a year, invariably in advance; items taken these times in part payment.

Jones' Whereabouts.

J. A. Jones, the workman who made such a record for himself in Reno and then skipped is in Portland Oregon. His whereabouts has been learned by a note having inclosed money for the redemption of a diamond ring which he left behind him when he fled. Workmen should be more careful of their diamond rings. Nothing sets a man off to better advantage when he is shoveling than a glittering diamond on his little finger.

A Dangerous Man.

Edison will return to Reno in a few days and make a stay of some length. He is at present visiting the mines of the Comstock. If the bonanza belonged to us (the reports to that effect are wholly false) we shouldn't let Edison within a mile of it. He is sure to invent a machine that will lift the whole layout from its bed and carry it east.

A Good Joke.

The value of advertising was very cleverly illustrated in these columns last week. We published an item congratulating Reno upon having no had organ. Within an hour after this announcement a blind accordionist appeared upon the street and tortured the evening air with "Gentle Annie," while his boy Jim passed a quart measure about the crowd. We have not raised our rates.

Connor Stock.

A Report just returned from Belmont gives the information that the Nye county Republican central committee has appointed Connor delegates to the State convention. This is the first gun of the campaign. A gentleman of intelligence and well up in political matters also informs us that Connor will surely beat Wren for the control of the Eureka delegation.

Curtailment.

Johnson, commander-in-chief of the horse that draws Hagerman's delivery wagon, has wearied of the stumpy condition of the wagging extension of his dog, and has snipped the animal with a new tail. Doggie is apparently very proud of the artificial affair and wags it as freely and easily as though it belonged to him.

At the session of the Grand Stamm of California of the Order of Red Men, in Santa Cruz on the 31st, resolutions were introduced instructing the representatives of the Grand Stamm of the United States to use their best endeavors to reunite the two Orders of Red Men in the United States.

A dispatch from Rome says that Cardinal Franchi is seriously ill.

CONDENSED TELEGRAMS.

The Washington labor troubles are ended.

The Boston Herald evinces a tendency toward Kearneyism.

Proposals will be made in September to make Serbia a kingdom.

The salmon catch in the Frazer river this season, has been very large.

A bill is about to be introduced in the legislature at Victoria, restricting Chinese immigration.

The Bank of France is about to change its issue of notes on account of forgeries.

The French government is about to allow the return of a number of political refugees.

MacKenzie is still on the American side of the Rio Grande, and everything is quiet on the border.

The great corner in wheat culminated on the 31st, \$1 10 being the price reached in Chicago.

Galveston, Texas, has established a quarantine by land and sea, to guard against yellow fever.

Counterfeit \$100 notes on the Pittsfield National Bank, of Pittsfield, Mass., are in circulation.

Up to noon of the 29th, there had been eighty cases of yellow fever, and thirty-three deaths in New Orleans.

Reliable letters from St. Petersburg report that no Russian loan will be issued within the next few months.

John L. Pennington, ex-Governor of Dakota, has been appointed Collector of Internal Revenue for that Territory.

Twelve Chinamen were arrested at Vallejo on the 30th for stretching their nets entirely across a stream, contrary to law.

J. B. Moulton and Mrs. Olive Huff suicided at Los Angeles—the former with a pistol, and the latter with laudanum.

In the Twelfth District Court, San Francisco, defendants in the thirty-five million dollar suit of Burke vs. Flood, et al. have filed a demurrer.

The liabilities of the Sierra Flume and Lumber Company amount to \$2,458,323.02; assets are estimated at \$2,628,481.70.

At Bloomington, Ill., the private bank of L. L. Holmes was robbed on the 30th of \$20,000 in bonds and currency.

Ex-Governor George L. Curry, of Oregon, died on the 28th. He came to Oregon in 1846 and edited the Oregon Spectator, the first paper published in the country.

The labor riots in Washington are over, to all appearances. On the 29th one of the leaders was sentenced to three months' imprisonment, and a number of others held.

A correspondent who was with the Shioewacawettes thinks they were rather shabbily treated by the English rowing fraternity as to courtesies, though they had perfect justice.

The race between Hanlon and Ross ended in a victory for Hanlon, Ross having capsize when three-quarters of a mile from the start, Hanlon being a length ahead.

In San Jose, on the 28th, Mrs. Nellie Travis, after a drunken spree, took a dose of morphine to put her asleep, but took too much, and was found dead in her bed next morning.

The steamer Gaelic, from Hongkong, arrived on the 28th, and reports continued rain in the famine provinces, and hopes of a good harvest. The suffering, however, continues unabated.

Alfred Gras, a San Francisco druggist, on the 29th, fired two shots at Eugene Frankfort, editor of Le Petit Journal, because of some article in his paper. Neither shot took effect.

John B. Welton, held in San Jose for an attempt to rape a little girl, attempted to commit suicide on the 28th by piercing a vein with a needle, but he was discovered before he had lost much blood.

There was considerable excitement on the New York stock exchange on the 29th, on account of the recent rains in the West, which were said to have done much injury. Prices went down $\frac{1}{2}$ to $\frac{3}{4}$ lower.

The approaching betrothal of Count Andassy's only daughter with the Prince Alfred of Montenuova, a distant cousin of the Emperor of Austria, is announced.

Butler says he don't want a re-election to Congress, and wants the Americans to show their appreciation of Grant's services by making him a Field Marshal for life at \$25,000 a year.

The Marquis of Lorne, the new Governor-General of Canada, will not arrive there till November. In the interim the Commander-in-Chief of all the forces acts as Governor-General.

Escobedo was captured on July 20, while sick and hiding in a hacienda, the owner of which was threatened with death unless he revealed the General's hiding place. Escobedo, to save the man, surrendered himself.

The stage of water above San Joaquin City, California, is twenty inches in consequence of most of the water being drawn off by Miller & Lux for the King's River canal. The feeling below Hill's Ferry is bitter against them. Steamers are now unable to reach Hill's Ferry and in less than one week will be unable to go above San Joaquin city. The largest portion of the crop is dependent on the river and the movement will have to remain until the commencement of the rainy season.

STOCK REPORT.

THIS MORNING'S BOARD.

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730 Kossuth, 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5	2800 Benton, 3 40 3 40 3 40 3 40
363 Boyle, 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8	625 Solid Silver, 2 40 2 40 2 40 2 40

LIST OF LETTERS.

REMAINING UNCALLED FOR AT THE Reno Postoffice August 1st. Parties calling for any of these letters will please say "advertised."

Andrews, J. F.	Merrill, Mrs. M. V.
Adams, C.	Merrill, C. F.
Baldwin, R. B.	Morgan, G.
Benjamin, L. P.	Macdonald, Fred.
Brown, Seth	Nelson, Miss Mary
Brownbridge, S. J.	Nichols, C. V.
Bremner, A. H.	Oglesby, W. H.
Bradstreet, A. D.	Preston, Mrs. H. A.
Campbell, L. D.	Pruett, Sidney—3
Cassidy, Patrick	Reiney, R. A.
Davis, Wm.	Ranous, Mr.
Elder, R. J.	Schoonover, Geo.
Foley, T. M.	Scott, J. H.
Goring, Squire—2	Scott, Chas. E.
Hockney, E. J.	Smith, J. M.
Hall, Ed.	Smith, L. H.
Hall, J. C.	Smith, Willie
Haskell, Thos.—2	Thomas, Oscar
Hatfield, S. O.	Tibbitts, Miss Hattie
Jones, S.	Tibbitts, E. J.
Junior, Eugene	Wallace, W. G.
Lagro, H. 2	Wanner, W. C.
Leonard, Miss Edna	Webber, Geo.
Leomis, A. J.	

S. M. JAMISON, Postmaster.

The results of the German elections, so far as known, are as follows: Four National Liberals, fourteen Clericals, nine Conservatives, eleven Progressives, three of the various Separatist and Particularist parties, and one Socialist. In the remaining twenty-three districts second ballots will be necessary.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

BRANCH SUIT AND CLOAK HOUSE.
Weil Brothers announce to the people of Reno that they have just opened in Reno a branch of the Cleveland Suit and Cloak company. As they get their goods directly from the manufactory they can, therefore, undersell all other Reno merchants and yet make a profit on their goods. We have no auction trash, nor do we propose to sell for twenty-five cents what is worth one dollar. We therefore take pleasure in inviting the ladies of Reno and vicinity to call and inspect our stock resting assured that we shall be able to satisfy them both in regard to price and quality of the goods. Store on east side of Virginia street, Reno, Nevada. 6-5-tf
WEIL BROTHERS.

SELLING OUT, SELLING OUT.—Weil Brothers, of the Branch Suit and Cloak House on east side Virginia street, would inform the ladies and their patrons generally that they will close out their large stock of Ladies Embroidery and underwear, etc., by August 1st. The remainder of their stock will be sacrificed in order to close it out by the date mentioned. The ladies should call and secure bargains as early as possible. WEIL BROTHERS.

At Osburn & Shoemaker's you can buy Cocoa Cream for the hair, at 25c a bottle, Jockey Club hair oil at 25c a bottle, Sun Flower hair oil at 37 1/2c a bottle, Bouquet hair oil at 37 1/2c a bottle, and Golden Jockey hair oil at 37 1/2c a bottle. These beautiful preparations are just received from the East and were never before sold in this market. 6-5-tf

For pianos and organs visit Brooks & Holmes piano warehouses on Virginia street, Reno, Nevada. This firm will sell cheaper than any house on the coast. Old pianos and organs taken in exchange for new. Instruments sold on easy installments. Pianos and organs for rent. 6-4-tf
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Riggen & Buckley, on Commercial Row, are now prepared to sell fruit cheaper than it was ever sold in Reno. We have every variety of fruit and of a first-class quality Give us a call. 7-5-tf.

HOGS FOR SALE.—Any one wishing to purchase fine stock hogs or fat hogs for market can get the same by applying to Mr. John Hoy, Virginia street, Reno. 7-11-tf.

Any one wishing eggs for hatching, from pure bred fowls. Dark Brahma, Buff Cochins or Houdans, can obtain them by applying to J. M. Huxley. 4-18-tf

ICE CREAM PARLORS.—Miss C. E. Nelson and sister have opened an ice cream parlor second door above the Justice Court, on the east side of Virginia street. Ice Cream 12 1/2c a dish. 7-1-tf

The Reno Drug Store, (late Hoole,) is constantly receiving consignments of oils, paints, varnishes, brushes, etc., which are offered at moderate prices. Wm. Pinniger, druggist, etc.

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Amongst the diseases overcome by the use of this remedy are the following:—
Chronic Constipation,
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Debility, resulting from Typhoid and other low fevers, Diphtheritic Prostration, Hysteria, Hypochondria, Nervous Excitability, Marasmus or Wasting of the Muscles, Aphonia, Loss of Voice, Sluggishness of the Liver, Interrupted and Feeble Action of the Heart, Sleeplessness, Excitement caused by unusual exertion of the Lungs and Air Passages leading thereto, and Debility from various causes. Indigestion and habitual Constipation almost always arise from weakness of the muscles and nerves of the stomach and bowels. In such cases, Fellows' Compound Syrup of Hypophosphites has proved itself of the greatest service by inducing healthy peristaltic action of the intestines. The evacuation soon become copious and healthy, without producing the effect of purgative medicine. Weakness of the joints and Muscles, IMPURITY OF THE BLOOD, and INWARD WASTING caused by attention to the regular described doses, and by due regard to the habits of life.

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Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Board of Trustees, held on the 23rd day of July, 1878, an assessment (No. 1) of one cent per share was levied upon the capital stock of the corporation, payable immediately, in U. S. gold coin, to the Secretary, at his office.

Any stock upon which the assessment shall remain unpaid August 25th, 1878, shall be declared delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before, will be sold on Saturday, September 25th, 1878, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of the sale.

By order of the Board of Trustees,

M. LIPPMAN, Secretary.

Reno, July 25th, 1878.

The National Gold Medal was awarded to Bradley & Rulofson for the best Photographs in the United States, and the Vienna Medal for the best in the world.

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BENEVOLENT SOCIETIES.

F. & A. M.

RENO LODGE No. 13, F. & A. M. Stated communications held Saturday evening on or before full of the moon. Visiting brethren in good standing are cordially invited to attend. C. A. RICHARDSON, W. M. OLYS RING, Secretary.

I. O. O. F.

RENO LODGE No. 19, INDEPENDENT Order of Odd Fellows, meet at Odd Fellows' Hall, over the Congregational Church, every Thursday evening. A punctual attendance of members is requested. All visiting members in good standing are cordially invited to attend. J. B. WILLIAMS, N. G. W. L. BECHTEL, Recording Sec. 137

I. O. G. T.

HASWELL LODGE No. 18, INDEPENDENT Order of Good Templars, meet every Friday evening at 8 o'clock, at the new Odd Fellows' Hall, over the Congregational Church. A punctual attendance of members is requested. All members in good standing are cordially invited to attend. GRANVILLE LODGE, W. C. T. J. F. ATKIN, W. S.

P. of H.

ALFALFA GRANGE, No. 1, MEETS THE 3d Saturday of each month at 1 o'clock. P. M. E. C. MCKENNEY, Secretary.

K. of P.

AMITY LODGE No. 8, KNIGHTS OF Pythias, regular time of meeting, Friday evening of each week, in Odd Fellows' Hall. J. M. FLANNAGAN, C. C. PIERCE EVANS, K. of R. & S. 7-23

LEGAL.

SUMMONS.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE Second Judicial District of the State of Nevada, in and for the county of Washoe. The State of Nevada sends to Sarah J. Smith, Greeting: You are hereby required to appear in an action, without cause, against you as defendant by A. A. Smith as plaintiff, in the District Court of the Second Judicial District, in and for the county of Washoe, State of Nevada, and answer the complaint therein within ten days after the service on you of this summons, (exclusive of the day of service). If served in said County, or twenty days if served out of said County, but within said district, and in all other cases forty days; or judgment by default will be taken against you according to the prayer of said complaint. The said action is brought to obtain a decree dissolving the bonds of matrimony heretofore and now existing between you and plaintiff, who alleges a marriage between you and him in September, A. D. 1872, that ever since you and he have been, and now are, husband and wife; that on the 31st day of March, A. D. 1877, you, the defendant, without cause and against his will, wilfully deserted and abandoned him, and ever since have continued to so desert and abandon him; that there is no common property, and are no children living of the issue of said marriage. Plaintiff alleges that he is now, and for six months next ensuing the commencement of this action has been a resident of the County of Washoe and State of Nevada, all of which will more fully appear from the complaint which is on file in the office of the Clerk of said Court at Reno, in said County.

And you are further notified that if you fail to appear and answer said complaint, the said plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded.

In Testimony Whereof, I, P. B. COMSTOCK, Clerk of the District Court of the Second Judicial District, Nevada, in and for Washoe County, do hereby certify the foregoing to be true and correct. P. B. COMSTOCK, Clerk of the District Court of the Second Judicial District, Nevada, in and for Washoe County. BOARDMAN & VARIAN, Attorneys for Plaintiff. [5-14-3m.]

Dissolution Notice.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between Andrew Roberts, Henry Roberts and D. Chace has this day, by the mutual consent of those parties been dissolved. Messrs Andrew and Henry Roberts becoming sole proprietors, paying all debts of the firm, and receiving all bills due the firm. ANDREW ROBERTS, HENRY ROBERTS, D. CHACE. Reno, Nev., July 19, 1878. 227-1m

Dissolution Notice.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between Geo. A. Crail and P. C. Hunt, in the White Man's Laundry, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Geo. A. Crail retaining. P. C. Hunt will collect all bills due the concern and pay all debts. G. A. CRAIL, P. C. HUNT. Reno, July 16th, 1878.

Teachers' Examination.

THERE WILL BE AN EXAMINATION of parties desiring teachers' certificates at the school house, Reno, on Friday and Saturday, August 16th and 17th. Examination to commence at 10 o'clock A. M. on Friday. OLYS RING, Superintendent of Schools, Washoe County, Nevada. j19-1d

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